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EASTERN NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

at Republican State Convention

ah, Feb 29—Mr Robinson appeared before the convention and declared in favor of the [illegible] understood the committee would re[port] in detail some of its leading points [follow]ing platform was adopted The Republicans in convention, reaffirms its devotion to [the Un]ion and its continued faith in the truths declared by the fathers. It speaks [for retrenc]hment and reform and for speedy return [illegible] to simplify, for uniform pur[illegible] punishment of fraud and crime wherever [illegible] for the preservation inviolate of the great [results] of the war and for a hearty welcome to all of the whole country to our common [illegible] and blessings It honors the integrity of Secretary Bristow and the wholesome [illegible] of Secretary Jewell in their endeavors to [protect th]e public purse and to punish public criminals [and] gives a hearty response to the declaration [of the Pres]ident—"Let no guilty man escape" It [condemns] the Democratic majority of the lower [house for] selections for office which are an [insult to] the national honor, and displacements [which] are marked with ingratitude, with sub[ordinating] in days of national extremity the welfare of the republic to party success with applauding [on] the floor of the House sentiments which [are in] open defiance of the nation and insulting to [illegible], with halting upon the great financial [questions] at a time when the industries [of the country] are prostrate We declare that the [transfer] of national legislation to the Democracy [has been] a signal failure, and believe the Republican [party] is the best hope of the country In peace [as it was] the preserver of its honor in war We believe [that] the welfare of the country demands that the [necessary] legislation be passed to carry the resumption [act] into effect at the time specified either by [funding] greenbacks into long bonds at the lowest [rate of] interest, or by using any available [means to] pay, and to cancel them We believe in [the unwritten la]w of the land, which declares it [improper] for the Chief Magistrate to hold office beyond two terms, and we accept the declaration of [President] Grant, in harmony with this law as but [another claim] upon our admiration and gratitude [A reso]lution was offered presenting to the National Republican Convention the name of Marshall Jewell as a candidate for President but after [discuss]ion in which it was held best to leave the [illegible] any name from the convention [or any] other place on the national ticket to the [illegible] elected, the resolution was tabled [Four] delegates at large, were appointed [to the] National Convention to convene at Cincinnati—Jos. A. Hawley, Stephen W. Kellogg, Joseph [illegible] and John T Rockwell.

Mercantile Transactions.

[It is] rumored that some scandals in connection [with] Liverpool cotton will shortly be made public. [There] have been two or three failures of brokers re[cently] and in the case of one of the firms it is al[leged] that some very questionable transactions [have been b]rought to light They are reported to have [used] freely for their own account, giving spin[ners] [illegible] as purchasers There are other serious allegations against them and the two partners [are] alleged to have decamped.

Lively Times Expected over the Impeachment.

New Orleans, March 1—The indications are that [there] will be a lively time at the State House to-[day] over the impeachment business. The talk [among] the conservatives is that the House will in a [body] proceed to the Senate and demand impeachment of Kellogg.

Carnival in Memphis

[Memph]is, March 1—During the afternoon the [streets] were so densely crowded that it was almost [impo]ssible for the police force to clear them for the [pagea]nt of the Elks and Krewe of Motley The [pagea]nt of the former represented the return of [Louis] IX of France from the Crusades

Wool Market.

[Bost]on, March 1.—Wool is steady with but a mod[erate] demand for domestic. Sales have been made [at] [illegible] for X and XX, Ohio and Pennsylvania [illegible], medium and No. 1 @50c, and 55½c [for] XXX, Wis[consin] and Michigan fleeces have [been] selling at [illegible]@48c for X and medium Califor[nia] wool ranges from 18@30c for fall and 20@33c for [spring]. There is very little doing in combing and [del]aine fleeces but small stocks are held with con[fidence] as it is believed everything in [illegible] will be wanted later in the season [Pu]lled wool has been selling at 35@50c, the latter for choice and Eastern super.

Mill River Relief Fund.

[Bos]ton, Mass March 1.—Luther Bodman of [illegible]pton, who had in keeping the money con[tributed] for the relief of the sufferers by the Mill [River disaster] of May, 1874, reports the receipt of $75-[illegible] of which $65 020 was paid out [illegible] relief [illegible], $9,825 directly by the treas[urer] on the order of the finance committee, leaving

[Re]publican State Convention

[illegible] March 1—The Republican State [Convention] is held March 23d.

[Irregular]ities in Office.

[illegible], March 1.—The treasurer of Ma[illegible] the president of the school board, [illegible] have been arrested and placed [under bail] for irregularities in office.

Gen. Pillow's Bankruptcy.

New York, March 1—Gen Pillow publishes a [lett]er to-day concerning himself and his bank[ruptc]y. He says: "In all my long and eventful [life I h]ave stood up with a stout heart and man[ly] [illegible] against trials, and have tried to [meet] the duties and responsibilities of life. Chief [among] these I hold the duties and responsi[bilities] of a party? How I have met them the [country] knows. I trust I will be pardoned for saying I loved the national government to whose [service] I had devoted the prime of my life—[and I] would I had fallen in the service—[illegible] while I was honored with its confidence and its commission. Standing as I now [do] [illegible] by [oppre]ssive acts and displeasure and [the] neglect and ingratitude of the people, I subse[quently] took up arms. I am without hope for the [future.] To be homeless—with a family famished—[illegible] staring me in the face at my [advanc]ed age, presents prospects so gloomy that [illegible] gives way and the conclusion is forced upon [me] that I have lived too long"

[illegible] of the New York Express Company.

New York, March 1—The certificate of incor[poration] of the New York Express Company was [filed] with the county clerk yesterday It cites that [it] is organized to print books, pamphlets [illegible]. Its capital is $25 000 in 250 shares [of $100] each. The company is to be managed by [illegible] J W. Brooks, Augustus Schell [illegible] Smith and Samuel Marsh were elected [illegible] The company is to continue for fifty years [from] the 28th of January last.

Sold Out.

Louis J. Jennings, late editor of the New York [Times,] has sold out his interest of nine shares for [illegible] The purchaser being Mr George Jones

[illegible] Republican State Convention

[Tren]ton, March 1—The Republican State Convention is called for May 17th.

Money and Stocks.

New York, March 1—Gold closed at 114¼@114⅜ [illegible] governments, active and strong; stocks [active] and unsettled Western Union 63¾ Quick[silver] 18, Pacific Mail, 20¾ Mariposa, 7½ Wells [Fargo] 87, New York Central, 113¼, Erie 18¼, [illegible] 132, Union Pacific, 66 do bonds 105 Central Pacific bonds, 108⅞.

The Insurrection in San Domingo.

New York, March 1—A correspondent from San [Domin]go telegraphs that Gen Gonzalez, having [been] twice defeated in battle had fled from the [capital.] He was tried by the legislature and acquitted He resigns the presidency, and will leave [the c]ountry The provisional government was in[stalled] on the 23d inst.

Return of Bishop Dominick

Philadelphia, March 1—Among the passengers [who] arrived on the steamer *Indiana* was Bishop [Dom]inick of Pittsburg from Rome where he has [been] since last autumn He brings all the necessary documents for the division of the Pittsburg [diocese] and the investiture of the new bishop

Civil Rights.

Clerk Newcomer of the Bingham house prosecuted by Rev Cook of Virginia for violation of [the c]ivil rights bill was found guilty to day

WASHINGTON CITY.

[Testi]mony Concerning the Emma Mine.

WASHINGTON Feb 29

[Park] then resumed his testimony from yesterday [stating] among other things that Gen Schenck re[ceived] 500 shares in addition to 500 previously [bought] by him, which sold for £23 a share or £1 [illegible] after the quality of the mine had been [illegible]. Prof. Silliman was at Salt Lake City [and] Williams, an English director of the mine [illegible] left the session of Senate in the winter of [illegible] and soon thereafter the famous telegram [signed] by Silliman Williams and [illegible] was sent to London, representing that large beds of ore had [been] discovered at the Emma mine This was [consid]ered very remarkable The new [illegible] were represented at 8,000 tons worth [illegible] per ton or $17 000 000 Witness [stated] that, in a conversation between Park and [Schenck], Park said it was hard for General Schenck [to li]ve on $17 000 a year he had to buy dresses for [member]s of his family which cost $700 apiece to go [to] Queen Victoria's drawing room and the dress [could] be worn only once Park did not blame [Ge]neral Schenck for wanting to make money At [one] time Park said he was going to have a little [game] with the General, who was a good poker [player.] Witness testified that Albert Grant pro[moter] of the Emma mine speculation in England [informe]d him that he gave Stewart two thousand [shares] of stock to become a director himself and [for] getting Schenck's name on the board [illegible]ned the witness that Fisher, of Vermont, an intimate friend of his own, Schenck [paid] $500 for services rendered in a [illegible] plan which perhaps was disclosed [illegible] Park wanted Schenck to give Fisher an opportunity to make something and Schenck afterwards said he found Fisher a very valuable man Fisher wrote articles for the London [Money] [illegible] paying very large prices for their publication and they were extravagant in praise of the richness of the Emma mine and of almost extraordinary [illegible] as to misrepresentations. In June 1873 the Emma mine literally caved in [and] collapsed and has not since been repaired When Stewart was asked how they could satisfy the English stockholders for the non production of ore he replied that was easily managed they could say the [illegible] were so deep as to prevent finding [illegible] they could make up for lost time during the summer Park wrote to Andrews when he connected with the company on the 8th of July 1874 after his return from Salt Lake City that while he expected to see in the Emma mine large beds of ore the sight of them went far above his expectations There was no report concerning the vast production of the mine but what fell far short of the truth On such false representations the stock as a consequence advanced

They have summoned ex Senator Stewart now in California and T W Park who is in South America The committee will examine in a day or two the testimony of Gen Schenck taken in England concerning his connection The investigation will be thorough and a full opportunity will be given Gen Schenck and his friends to be heard on the subject

Senate Confirmations

WASHINGTON Feb 28—The Senate confirmed the following nominations Frederick Lord collector of Internal revenue for Nevada John S Mayhugh register of the land office at Elko Nevada

Special Message by the President

The President sent the following special message to Congress to day, the 28th

To the Senate and House I lay before you herewith a communication from the Secretary of the Interior dated the 26th upon the subject of the deficiency of supplies at Red Cloud Agency Nebraska This matter has been already presented to you by the Secretary and the House of Representatives has requested investigation by a military officer of the cause of this deficiency I have taken the proper steps to comply with the request of the House but the present need of supplies is not disputed A prolonged delay in furnishing provisions to these Indians will cause great distress and be likely to provoke raids on the white settlements and possibly lead to a general outbreak of hostilities I therefore deem it proper to invite your attention to the importance of early and favorable action upon the estimates heretofore and herewith submitted These estimates, and the views of the Secretary in regard to this emergency, meet with my full concurrence and I recommend that the appropriations asked for be made at the earliest day practicable (Signed) U S GRANT

Secretary Chandler in communication referred to states reasons for existing deficiency in substance are first diminished appropriations by Congress last year, and second unusual issues to Indians visiting the agency to meet the Black Hills commission September last He says the case has additional urgency from the fact that over 1,000 members of Sitting Bull's band heretofore defiant and actually hostile, have come into Red Cloud's agency in compliance with the messages previously sent them, and it is important that any measures looking to the disintegration of this heretofore united band to the destruction of Sitting Bull's authority should have proper encouragement In view also of the probable submission of Sitting Bull's band to the government, and their possible arrival at an agency where supplies would be lacking, Secretary Chandler endorses a recommendation of commissioner Smith that an appropriation of $50 000 be granted in addition to the $225 000 already asked for last month

Military Expedition Against Sitting Bull.

Information has been received at the war department that Gen Crook has started with a force from Fort Laramie and Gen Custar with troops from Fort Lincoln to be joined by a detachment from Montana to march against Sitting Bull near the mouth of Powder river in the Yellowstone country Sitting Bull has 1 500 warriors, and sets at defiance the treaty which requires his people to remain on their reservation The number of U S troops in the expedition is about 2,000

Miscellaneous Washington News.

WASHINGTON, Feb 29—In the Senate to day Mitchell introduced a bill granting the right of way through the public lands for wagon roads over the Blue mountains in the State of Oregon, referred to the committee on public lands

Sargent introduced a bill to establish certain post roads in California, referred to the committee on postoffices and postroads.

Sargent said yesterday, his colleague Booth, presented a memorial of the California legislature asking for an appropriation to give the people of that State cheaper telegraphic facilities as it had to pay now 25 cents a word Several bills relating to this subject were before the committee on post offices and postroads. The memorial presented yesterday was referred to the committee on commerce He asked that it be referred to the committee on postoffices and postroads instead of commerce, referred.

The Secretary of War sent to the House to day a copy of a brief on the subject of the jurisdiction of the War Department over the Territory of Alaska, earnestly recommending such legislation as will more precisely define the duties of the War Department over Indian country in general, and particularly over the Territory of Alaska

U. S. Supreme Court.

The United States, appellants, vs. Francis M Alvando Appeal from district court of the United States for the district of California. On motion of Mr A A Sargent docketed and dismissed with costs.

Sargent has written a letter to Attorney General Pierrepont in regard to the government suit against the C P R R Co. to recover five per cent. of its net earnings After referring to the indefinite postponement of this case by the California circuit court, to allow testimony to be taken in Washington and sharply criticising the company's argument that the road is not completed, Sargent calls attention to the importance of closely watching matters here, so that the facts may appear in depositions, which he says is not likely to be the case unless Pierrepont takes action to secure that result

Confirmation by the Senate.

WASHINGTON March 1—The Senate to day confirmed the following Wm. H Small, register of the land office, Vancouver, W. T

Alaska Commercial Company Investigation.

Senator Boutwell was examined to day by the House committee investigating the affairs of the Alaska Commercial Company He was called to testify as to the manner in which the lease of the seal island was awarded to that company and to explain the reasons therefor He testified that he while Secretary of the Treasury had ordered the award to be made to the Alaska Commercial Company as in his opinion their bid was the best one for the interests of the government and he was supported in his views by the opinion of the Attorney General He also stated that the government receives from this company annually about $325,000 which is more than would have been received under the propositions of any other bidders Ex Secretary Richardson will be called as the next witness

Wm M Stewart Wants to Testify.

The following telegram dated San Francisco early yesterday morning was received by Hon Geo C Gorham Secretary U S Senate yesterday afternoon I desire to testify before the House committee on foreign relations in the Emma mine investigation. Ask the chairman of the committee to ascertain when it will be necessary to start Would like a few days here before leaving

WM M STEWART

Gorham submitted this telegram to the foreign affairs committee and asked permission for C F Hillyer to cross examine Lyon in Stewart's behalf The committee in response proposed that they should cite Lyon to appear and confront Stewart when the latter arrives Gorham assented to this proposition as being still more satisfactory and it was accordingly agreed upon

Indian Affairs

The House committee on Indian affairs in accordance with the policy agreed upon by the [illegible] of Secretary's resolution voted to day to report adversely on a claim for $85,000 growing out of the depredations by Kiowa Indians This claim was presented to the Interior Department under the law of 1872 and has been recommended by that department for payment so it will be made a test case in the House for the determination of the general question of the government's liability for all such losses thus regularly presented

Representative Lane will submit a minority report favoring the payment of these claims and will probably be joined in this report by two or more other members of the committee

More Testimony from Gen Sheridan.

CHICAGO March 1 The military committee of the House of Representatives having requested Lieut. Gen Sheridan to supplement his testimony on military affairs recently given before the committee that officer has made the following additional suggestions It will be seen that he has cut down the appropriation required by the bill introduced by Mr Maginnis from $300,000 to $200,000 In view of the immigration to the Black Hills and the present military expedition this communication of the Lieut. General has peculiar interest.

HEADQRS MILITARY DIV MISSOURI
CHICAGO Feb 29 1876

The necessity for two military posts on the Yellowstone has been apparent to me for two years past and I have recommended their establishment in my annual reports So strongly have I been convinced of this necessity that I have without any expense to the government made an examination of the Yellowstone river and selected points at which they should be built [illegible] Indian question in the Black Hills and how to settle the establishment of the Indians [illegible] in the accomplishment of this purpose The two posts mentioned will have to be located one at or near the mouth of the Big Horn river the other at, or near the mouth of Tongue river These posts will be supplied by steamboats up the Yellowstone and can be constructed of material found in the vicinity of the posts selected I think I can have them built for $100 000 each in other words I will [tak]e and build the posts for $200 000 instead of $300 000 as [ask]ed in the bill

The Black Hills country will probably be covered with towns and villages during the next five or six years Its value will cause the extension of the Northern Pacific R. R. on the south side of the Yellowstone as far as the Gallatin valley in Montana, and will also build another railroad from North Platte section on the Union Pacific railway to the Black Hills I am of the belief that the largest deposits of gold are further west than where the miners are now working The head waters of Wind river are gold bearing the Owl Creek mountains are gold bearing the Big Horn valley is gold bearing, Powder river is gold bearing also Clarks fork of the Yellowstone Besides this the Black Hills have an abundance of good timber for the treeless country south of them and west of the Missouri river The success of all these interests depends on the establishment of the two posts named Military operations have been commenced against the hostile bands of Sioux by request of the Interior Department and I consider this appropriation so necessary that I specially request immediate action on it P H SHERIDAN Lieut Gen

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

Don Carlos Interned.

LONDON Feb 29—When Don Carlos arrived at Pau the prefect informed him he could not allow him to reside even for a short time in his department He added the French Government will permit him to sojourn temporarily in some town in the north of France and suggested among others Dieppe and Boulogne The prefect put a special train with a saloon carriage at the disposal of Don Carlos to take him and his family and suite if he desired to be accompanied by them to the frontier or to a place of residence in the north The accumulation of Carlist refugees near Pau has obliged the local authorities to make special arrangements to convey them to the interior of France for internment. The flight of Don Carlos has thrown the Carlist population of Navarre into complete stupefaction Submissions are so numerous that it is impossible to calculate them The Alfonsists are returning to their homes in Navarre to find them entirely devastated The Alfonsists troops are pursuing the Carlists in Navarre The battalions of Merlones occupy all the passes at Puerto Valate

Carlists Fleeing from Spain.

A *Times* Paris dispatch says Letters received here give curious accounts of the spectacle presented on the Spanish frontier, Whole bands of Carlists enter France at St Jean Pied Deport and ask to be interned Some refugees arrive utterly destitute others bring horses and mules which they sell for a bare trifle as hundreds of animals have been thus sold within a few days The battalions of Navarre Alvaria and Guipuzcoa have disbanded Some men have asked for amnesty others have been interned in France generally at St. Jean Pied Deport, whence they are sent into the interior in various directions at the expense of the French authorities The officers accompanying Don Carlos seem to be well supplied with money and arms Carlos himself does not appear to be depressed He betrays neither despair nor thirst for revenge

Movements of Don Carlos.

LONDON, Feb 29—A *News* Paris special says Don Carlos will arrive in Paris on Thursday and proceed to Calais, where a packet is waiting to convey him to England.

Forces for Cuba.

MADRID Feb 29—Thirty thousand men go to Cuba immediately

There will be three days' festivities with bull fights, on the entry of the troops into Madrid

Royal Proclamation Concerning Cuba.

A telegram from Cadiz to the *Times* says a proclamation has been published declaring that the King his brave army and government, with the patriotic co-operation of 50 000 soldiers, will go to Cuba and quell the insurrection

No Political Significance to be Attached to Isabella's Visit.

The London *News* special from Paris says the Spanish embassy at Paris positively deny that Isabella has any political motive in visiting Spain. She returns at the request of Alfonso It is stated that Isabella will go to Caravanchel, near Madrid, immediately after Alfonso's return from the North

Portuguese Centennial Contributions Ready

LISBON Feb 29—An extensive collection of objects for the Philadelphia exhibition are nearly ready for embarkation on the steam transport *India*

Died of Cholera.

THE HAGUE Feb 29—Advices are received announcing the death by cholera at Acheen of Gen Pel, commander of the Dutch forces

Reform Measures Rejected.

VIENNA Feb 29—A special says the Herzegovinian Chief has telegraphed to the Bosnian leaders that they will reject the reforms recently proffered by Turkey so long as the people are not consulted, They wish to act in concert with the Bosnians in north Bosnia The amnesty decree has been published, but the inhabitants refuse to accept it.

Removal of Causes of Discontent Urged.

The Berlin journals energetically insist that the government must now remove all cause of discontent which might lead to a renewal of the war Sanguinary affairs occurred at Adejurovatz and Seruendria in Servia

Memorial to the Six Powers.

A Berlin dispatch says that the agent of the Russian society for giving aid to the sick and wounded Herzegovinians is with the approval of the insurgents, framing a memorial for presentation to the six Powers The paper recommends the union of the insurgent districts with Montenegro under a system of perfect autonomy, but subject to the suzerainty of the Porte, as the only acceptable solution of the difficulty The Mussulmans of Bosnia particularly oppose the Porte's proposal that Christians and Mahommedans be equally represented in executive committees and demand that they have a two third majority

German Railways.

The Berlin correspondent of the *Standard* telegraphs I hear from a reliable quarter that the government in spite of the opposition of Bavaria will within a fortnight introduce in the Landstag a bill giving permission to sell the Prussian railways to the empire

The Suez Canal.

LONDON Feb 29—The *Times* in an editorial says we hear with much regret that Sir Daniel Lange has ceased to be connected with the direction of the Suez Canal Co as representative of English interests therein The important share which Sir Daniel took in the formation of the canal a share scarcely second to that of M DeLesseps himself In fact he has been the only Englishman prominently connected with the enterprise renders his dismissal by the French administration especially inopportune at a moment when there are too many English politicians on the watch for signs of the company's disregard for the interest of this country and its stake in the canal

Exciting Parliamentary Election.

LONDON Feb 29—An exciting Parliamentary election was held at Horsham Sussex to fill the vacancy caused by the unseating of Hurst for bribery Mr Brown Liberal candidate was returned defeating Sir Harding Gifford solicitor General by 51 majority

M. Casimer Perrier Declines.

LONDON March 1—The *Standard's* Paris dispatch reports that M Casimer Perrier has finally declined the Ministry of the Interior and M Le France has accepted M Wallon will retain the portfolio of Public Instruction

Marriage of Prof Tyndall.

LONDON, March 1—The marriage of Prof Tyndall and Miss Louisa Claude Hamilton took place yesterday at Westminster Abbey The ceremony was performed by Dean Stanley Thos Carlyle Prof Huxley Doctor Hooker and Sir F Pollock were present

The Forger Winslow

LONDON March 1—Dearborn the officer from Boston who has the papers for the extradition of Winslow the forger has arrived in London and visited the American Embassy

MAN AND MONKEY—The London *Echo* of January 4th says The wonderful resemblance of some of the larger apes to human creatures is especially remarkable when they are suffering from illness, or from what so great is their intelligence we must acknowledge to be sorrow An ape of no common merit having lately died in the Zoological gardens at Dresden an account has been published of its last moments which gave an extraordinary idea of the almost human dignity and pathos of its behavior on the occasion A few weeks of the destroying malady says a sorrowing friend had been sufficient to change this being so full of life strength courage this magnificent prototype of all quadrumana—into a spectacle of misery The most complete apathy had taken the place of exuberant freshness and vivacity Mafuka as this interesting creature was called appeared to suffer under a dim consciousness that she could expect no relief but only the alleviation of her pains from those about her This state of things lasted until within a few hours of her death Then as Director Schopf the director of the gardens leaned over his favorite the ape drew him toward her placed her arm around the neck of her kind friend and looked at him for some time with clear and tranquil eyes she then kissed him three times with intervals between each salute as seemed to be laid upon her couch gave her hand to Schopf—as though bidding farewell to a companion of many happy years and slept never to awake again Thus died the quasi human Mafuka fortified not indeed by the rites of the church but by those common to the wider brotherhood of trusting and affectionate hearts.'

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA.

San Francisco Stock Market.

SAN FRANCISCO March 1—Ophir 66, Mexican 7¾ G C C 31½ B & B 62 Savage 10½ Chollar 107 Hale & N 24 [illegible] Jacket 101, Imperial 11 Empire Mill 5 Alpha 58 Belcher 37 Confidence 27 Con Va 318 S Nevada 19 Crown Point 50½ Bullion 52 Exchequer 10½ Overman 73 Justice 26, Succor 8[illegible], Union Con 12¾

EVENING BOARD—Alta [illegible] R & C 18 [illegible] Con 1[illegible] Leopard [illegible] Jackson 2 Belmont [illegible] K K Cola 1[illegible], Jefferson 1[illegible] Panther 3[illegible] Hussey [illegible] Gen Thomas [illegible] N Belle 36 Defrees 3[illegible] Mansfield [illegible] Advance [illegible] Coso Con 90c Metallic [illegible] S Chariot [illegible] Poorman 50c Lady Bryan [illegible], Julia [illegible] Caledonia [illegible], Balto 3[illegible], Knickerbocker [illegible] S Hill 10[illegible] Utah 7 Challenge 5[illegible] Dayton 3[illegible] N Y Con 2 R Island 3[illegible] Occidental [illegible] Alta 3[illegible] Sheridan [illegible] Woodville 2[illegible] Seg Caledonia 1[illegible] Kossuth [illegible] Andes [illegible] W Fargo 12½, Europa 60c Pac [illegible] Niagara 60c N Carson 60c N Con Va [illegible] Leviathan [illegible] Prospect 6[illegible] Amazon [illegible] Morning Star 5, W Belcher 2[illegible], Monumental [illegible], Trojan 7[illegible]c Silver City 1[illegible], Vivian [illegible]

Chinese Riot.

SAN FRANCISCO Feb 29—A disturbance occurred in Chinatown this afternoon which nearly attained the proportion of a riot and for a time threatened serious consequences The trouble arose from some of the questions of internal economy existing among the Chinese Hop Wo Co had made arrangements with Buckingham & Hecht and Einstein Bros shoe dealers to supply them with a certain number of hands who were to learn the trade and work at the business a specified time paying a fixed proportion of their wages to the agents, Hop Wo Co to secure latter on their expenditure in bringing them here A number of these employes have mastered the trade, and wishing to work on their own account jumped their contract and demanded the sums deposited with Hop Wo the agent This was refused and to day the employes went to the store of Ye Chy Lung agent of Hop Wo's on Dupont near Clay about 60 in number, and again demanded the money On refusal they commenced an attack on the establishment knives, pistols cleavers and iron bars were freely used and the combat continued until checked by the police A large number of Chinamen were severely wounded and one or two will probably die of their injuries The police arrested a number of the rioters and locked them up

The Target.

It seems likely that the project to send the California team to compete at the Centennial rifle matches will fall through, owing to a lack of interest manifested by crack shots It was intended to hold meetings every other Saturday, and select the best shots to represent the State, but nothing has yet been done, and the matter will probably be dropped

The Preachers and Brigham.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb 29—A number of clergymen and others interested assembled at Platt's Hall this evening, to hear the propositions advanced by the visiting ministers from Salt Lake relative to forwarding the cause of Christian civilization in Utah The meeting was not very enthusiastic, and the response to the request for a collection to defray the expense of inaugurating the work was not calculated to cause Brigham Young much uneasiness

Visit to the State Prison.

SACRAMENTO Feb 29—Lieutenant Governor Johnson, with a sub committee from the Assembly and Senate committees on the State prison left here this morning for San Quentin for the purpose of making the temporary arrangements rendered necessary by the fire

NEVADA.

Jail Delivery.

PIOCHE, Feb 29—Owing to our county financial trouble, the prisoners who are confined in jail for petty offenses are being released, and the county hospital is to be closed to-day owing to the inability of the county to furnish provisions, none of our business men being willing to take scrip worth, at the most, 10 cents on the dollar, Dr Philipson, county physician, has tendered his services gratuitously until some satisfactory arrangement with the commissioners can be made In order that the patients may not starve, the citizens are necessarily obliged to take care of them

A MARTYR TO SCIENCE

When only a few weeks ago the cholera was raging in the slums of Berlin a young physician scarcely past his 30th year made himself remarked by the boldness and persistency with which he entered the infected quarter, and the apparent recklessness with which he exposed himself to the contagion It is worth while that his name should be remembered, it was Otto Obermeir He had another object besides that of relieving, and if possible curing the poor creatures whom he visited He proposed to himself investigate, in the presence of the living pestilence itself its causes and its development. At last the brave young soul thought he had discovered the clue, and with a heroism far above the heroism of the battle field as it is nobler to sacrifice one's self to save men than to destroy them, he resolved to test his discovery upon himself Obermeir knew full well that he staked his life against the hope of conquering the cholera

Obtaining from one of his patients some of the deadly cholerate germs he went deliberately to his room placed a table with pencil and paper at his bedside, lay calmly down upon the bed opened a vein in his arm and inserted the deadly poison He thought he had discovered how to neutralize it if so man was master of the pestilence forever But he was wrong and the error was fatal He lived seven hours and then died but during those seven dying hours the young hero observed, with scientific exactness the effects and progress of the disease upon him and one after another he noted his observations down until within the very half hour when the spirit left the body These notes are pronounced to have the highest value and will serve the commission with new facts of the first importance and so the dying legacy of Otto Obermeir may after all lead to the victory which he condemned himself to self destruction in trying to achieve [illegible] *Journal*

AMERICAN RACE HORSES IN ENGLAND

[From the Pall Mall Gazette.]

The Americans of course are bound to win the Derby some day as well as to beat our universities our amateurs and our professionals on the river Whether or not that is to be the fate of the anonymous colt by Baywood out of [illegible] nominated by an American Mr Sanford for this year's Derby remains to be seen But there can be no harm in wishing Mr Sanford better luck than that which attended the efforts of his compatriot Mr Ten Broeck It is not so very long since Mr Ten Broeck's orange black [illegible] and orange cap showed so frequently upon our race courses that no holiday [illegible] complete without the familiar colors [illegible] whether bred in America or not [illegible] business to recall the many [illegible] was not altogether [illegible] It is not to be supposed however that horses bred in America have never [illegible] in this country the names of Prioress Starke and Optimist [illegible] prove that they have done so In 1857 Prioress [illegible] one of the dead heat with two other animals El Hakim and Queen Bess in the Cesarewitch which she won in the deciding heat; and in 1858 she won the Great Yorkshire Handicap at Doncaster In 1860 Starke won the Goodwood stakes and in 1861 the Goodwood cup and the Brighton stakes. In 1861 Optimist won the Ascot stakes And was not Umpire an American horse Memory seems to answer in the affirmative and to add that after having won the Nursery stakes at Goodwood in 1859 he started, if not absolutely first favorite close up in the betting with the Wizard and Thormanby for the Derby of 1860

"ABSTRACT CURRENCY

One of the fanciful theories advanced by the inflationists in support of their vagaries is that a paper circulation may be based simply on the credit of the country and that convertibility into coin is an antiquated and expensive device which this country has outgrown This notion mistakes entirely the nature of money A dollar is not a legal abstraction but twenty five and eight tenths grains of gold nine-tenths fine The paper dollar derives its value solely from the promise which it bears to pay a real dollar, and if the promise be repudiated, the scrap of paper on which it is printed becomes worthless The gold dollar bears no fictitious value It represents nothing but itself In whatever form it may be put—coin bullion or plate—its quality of value remains with it and in it That value, like the value of every other article is the equivalent of the average amount of labor which is required to produce it The gold produced by a year's labor in the mines is equal in value only to the average fruits of a year's labor of similar quality in other pursuits, plus a reasonable compensation for the danger and privation, It is plain that this must be so in the long run For, if the product of a given amount of labor in the gold mines were of greater value than the product of an equal amount of like labor in other pursuits, laborers would flock to the mines in such numbers as to reduce the value of gold This was the precise result of the discovery of the gold mines of California and Australia

Once set free from the idea of representative value divested of the character of a promise to pay a certain quantity of gold and declared to be representative of certain fictions known as dollars, our paper money could have no definite value The abstraction which it would represent might be called by any other shibboleth as well as dollars—better indeed, since the fiction represented by the paper would have no point of similarity to the real, tangible dollar The real dollar or coin in some form would be required to settle our foreign balances but it would be an entirely different thing from the fiction represented by the paper Indeed, since the paper would have no real value, or be converted into any definite quantity of anything having real value, it would make no difference whether the name inscribed on it were dollar rupee franc or groschen, except so far as it might be forced upon creditors in payment of debts contracted in real dollars, or derive some fictitious value from mental association with them,

Money, to answer perfectly its purpose, must either possess value in itself or be the representative of something possessing real value. That value may be the flocks of the early Romans, the codfish of the Newfoundlanders, the tobacco of the Virginians, or the gold and silver of all times and countries but it must either exist in the substance used for money, or the currency must represent a definite amount of it The fatal defect of a currency based purely on credit, as the phrase goes, is that it would be convertible into no fixed quantity of anything and so would represent nothing A note promising to pay a day's work of a certain kind a bushel of wheat or a barrel of cider, would have a substantial foundation of value, not, indeed so stable as gold and silver but sufficient for the purpose. But a note which simply said, "This is a dollar," but did not give the holder any right to receive a real dollar for it, would have no value Suppose that in the days when cattle were used as a medium of exchange the government had issued tokens imprinted with the words, "One ox" but which did not promise to pay an ox to anybody, Can it be supposed that any one could have been found so verdant, even in those primitive times, as to accept such a token as the value of a real flesh and-blood ox, or at any other value? No matter how many oxen the government or the people might have owned, if the token did not entitle the holder to receive one of them, the mere inscription of the word "ox" upon it would give it no value in his eyes The sight of the cattle grazing on ten times a thousand hills would not satisfy his hunger or pay his debts The case supposed is precisely similar to that of the fictitious paper dollar The gold dollar is as substantial an entity as the ox, and as little capable of being converted by legislation into an abstraction. It is vain to urge that the immense wealth and resources of the country constitute a sufficient basis for such a currency, so long as the holder of it has no claim upon them He might as well be told that there are treasures in the moon sufficient to redeem the currency.

The difficulty could not be bridged over by making the notes legal tender, except so far as prior debts should be concerned since, although the government can declare that paper tokens shall be received for debts and commodities, it cannot say how many of them shall be demanded for any given article. If a merchant chose to demand a thousand of these token dollars for a yard of silk or a barrel of flour, government could not interfere, or if it should, its efforts would be as futile as when Congress tried to legislate down the gold premium Such a currency would be essentially different from the present greenback circulation The greenback dollar is a promise to pay a coined dollar at some indefinite future time, and although it is and long has been irredeemable, no one doubts that the time will come when it will be redeemed at par in coin This fact accounts for its value The currency which we are discussing would be what the greenback would be if the government should declare its intention never to redeem it, but that it should still be a legal tender for public and private debts Such a currency might circulate for a time, partly because it would be forced upon creditors in payment of prior debt, and partly from mental association with real money But as soon as the eyes of the people should be opened to its real character it would begin to sink in value and its downward course would continue with accelerating rapidity to utter worthlessness—*N. Y. Times*

ANOTHER MAMMOTH CAVE—About the middle of the past week two young men, named White while idly wandering in a large track of wild, dense forest, near Columbia Ky, discovered what they supposed to be a sink hole or fox den, and with that idea proceeded to explore it After a little trouble in making their way through the entrance the cave (for such it proved to be) became large enough to admit of their walking upright They had proceeded thus in this passage probably one hundred and fifty yards when they emerged into a large and picturesque gallery the beauty and grandeur of which will rival that of the old Mammoth itself The room according to their calculations is about one hundred and fifty by one hundred feet and abounds in all the varieties of the stalactites and stalagmites—*Cor Louisville Courier Journal*

GEN BABCOCK—Gen Babcock himself is a man 40 years of age a native of Vermont and a particularly quiet modest and kindly engineer officer He has a rather pale complexion and large dark eyes which are not very penetrating in their expression and roving about He is thick set broad shouldered smooth faced affable but brief of speech and noted in Washington for his sending gifts of flowers from the public grounds to sick people whom he often does not know His conversation is pure and he keeps the President's secrets well He is married, and to a delightful little lady Miss Campbell daughter of the United States marshal of Chicago and niece of J Russell Jones late Minister to Belgium

A Washington letter to the Augusta (Ga) *Chronicle* says that Randolph Tucker is a gifted Virginian of the [illegible] and yet a more stupendous anachronism than Mr Tucker's late State rights argument in Congress could not be conceived It suggested to me the famous irony of Gen Early in the rout of the remnant of his army in the Shenandoah Valley Riding up to the side of Breckinridge who was dejected and silent, Early said "Well Breckinridge, what do you think of the rights of the South in the Territories now?"

THE TERRITORIES.

The freight tariff on Walla Walla and Columbia River Railroad is to be materially advanced

There are now 25 men engaged in graveling and leveling up the track of the railroad from Walla Walla to Wallula

There are now eight deep water vessels in the Puget Sound waters 2 for Caledonia 4 for South America, 1 for New Zealand and 1 for Singapore

The military authorities at Fort Laramie allow Black Hills immigrants to go on without objection if organized in parties of twenty or more, and properly armed

Even the saw-mills are going to the Black Hills The Collins *Standard* tells about a couple of portable concerns having "left" the Big Thompson country for the land of gold

Idaho Bill, who recently put an embargo on the Salt Lake and Pioche stage at Deseret station, was arrested at Pioche the other day while strutting around the streets like a walking arsenal He now languishes in jail

The Owyhee *Avalanche* says Some rich rock has been taken out of the 11th level of the Golden Chariot recently The ledge is from six to seven feet in width and shows up splendidly The ore is worth from $80 to $90 to the ton.

The Walla Walla *Union* says: "The prices now paid by cattle buyers are better than we have had for a year or two past They now give $20 per head for two year-old steers that could have been bought last fall for $16 or $16 And while cattle are still very cheap even at these figures, they pay for raising much better than they did a year or two since."

A boy was employed by Hastings, the Olympia vanity fair man, to assist in putting up the pictures The boy then went to a friend and "peached" on Hastings His friend was promptly on hand, and, on investing three halves, drew one five and two ten dollar prizes It was discovered in time to prevent the bursting of the institution

We are informed that real estate in New Tacoma, is changing hands quite rapidly, at rates much higher than usual. Many lots have been sold recently, at from $200 to $250, each A prospect of a coal road from Tacoma City, up the Puyallup, to the new coal fields, and the erection of coal bunkers near the railroad wharf, tend to create a hopeful feeling among the residents of the place.

The Chicago *Commercial Advertiser* of January 8th, devotes almost nineteen columns to an illustrated review of Dakota Territory and some of its principal towns The writer of the sketch says he expected to find the territory made up mainly of bold buttes and sterile plains, with here and there a valley susceptible to cultivation, but his trip knocked all that out of him, as many others have been served, and he now pronounces the country one of unsurpassed beauty and fertility, settled by industrious men of all nationalities, and prophesies for it vast commercial and material wealth.

A private letter of recent date from Hon. T. W. Bennett, Idaho's delegate in Congress, says "I fear that but little can be done for Idaho this session, for you see everybody is trying to make Presidents It will hurry the people of the Territories to get merely the regular appropriations, as the Democratic House are cutting everything right and left, and no extra appropriations can possibly be got through, so I fear I can be of but little service to my needy people. If any change is made in the manner of electing President, I feel sure the Territories will get to vote. I intend, also, to introduce a bill giving the Territories the right to full representation in the House, with some hope of getting it through."

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The dredging of Victoria harbor is to be resumed at an early day.

The *Colonist* says Duties are coming in briskly at the custom house in Victoria in consequence of an anticipated increase in the tariff.

The departure of miners from Victoria for the gold regions of Cassiar, commenced in real earnest on the 29th. At noon the steamer *Gussie Telfair* sailed with over 100 passengers on board, and at 2 P. M. the *Otter* took away upwards of 130

Col. C. C Lane has successfully organized a company in San Francisco with a capital of $200,000 to engage in a fishery and cannery establishment at Woodcock's Landing, B. C. Operations will be commenced with as little delay as possible.

News has been received from Keefer's party, wintering at Tete Jaune Cache, up to the 25th ult All hands were in good health and spirits, although the weather was very severe, the thermometer ranging from 30° to 40° below zero. The mail carrier experienced very great difficulty in making the last trip between Kamloops and Tete Jaune Cache.

Some time since it was announced that two men had been drowned by the upsetting of a deeply laden canoe, between Sooke and Victoria The name of one of the two victims was then known to be Mitchell, but the other man's name was not till lately discovered. Since the date of the accident, (Feb. 13th) it has however transpired that Wm Troxel, recently from Oregon, came to his untimely end in company with Mitchell

WILLIAM CULLEN BRYANT.

THE WORK OF AN OLD MAN OF EIGHTY-ONE

[New York Correspondence Detroit News]

Mr Bryant, at the age of eighty-one, assisted by Sidney Howard Gay, who was formerly on the *Post*, and who was selected by him as his aid, has undertaken to write a history of the United States

It will be comprised in four large volumes of 600 pages each, and will cost $100,000 The first volume is already under way and contains much of his writing This work will probably be his last one of any magnitude, and will contain the effort of his riper years which he will leave as his heritage to posterity It is remarkable that so aged a man should begin an enterprise of so great moment, but Mr Bryant is a man of the greatest ambition His history will deal at length with some parts of American history which have been less discussed by previous writers, and will thus have an interest beyond that which it will possess from its literary excellence

In person Mr Bryant is of medium size, and slightly bent with age, there is nothing in his appearance to attract attention as some people think there must be in men of genius His hair beard and eyebrows are long and white giving him a very venerable expression He is always cheerful and pleasant in conversation and laughs heartily at a joke When at his country house he visits the office about once a week, and sits and reads the papers without glasses He is very vigorous for so old a man and now and then indulges in such gymnastic exercises as raising himself up over the door by his arms in competition with the younger men He always walks down from his house when he visits the office during his residence in town He has one of the editorial rooms of the *Post* It is the *sanctum sanctorum*, but is seldom occupied as he rarely works in it

The poet resides, during the summer at his country house at Roslyn Long Island He will be in the city in a week or two for the winter His place at Roslyn is old and beautiful with its wealth of trees and vines It is a fit home for him, and he loves it well The most distinguished men of the time feel honored when, at his invitation, they enjoy his hospitality He is a mental autocrat and his invitations are sparingly given One of his intimate friends said the other day Mr Bryant is the proudest man I ever saw and yet he isn't ashamed to work

A fastidious English lady, on her travels stopped temporarily at the log cabin of a literary trapper in Oregon and seeing the essays of Carlyle and Macaulay on the table asked the frontiersman what he thought of those authors "Oh!" said he, "them fellers is some pumpkins They kin sling ink, they kin, now I tell you!"

WONDERFUL.

A SAVANT MAKES AN EGG AND HATCHES THEREFROM A LIVE BIRD

[From the Church Union]

It seems that, for more than fourteen years, Professor Geilling of Bruenburg, a man well known to the literary and scientific world, has had his attention directed to the production of animal life by means of galvanism

This was a daring thought, but the professor, with a zeal and devotion worthy of the old alchemists, in whose footsteps he was following, persevered against obstacles that would have discouraged any man less sanguine than himself, and at last has had the satisfaction of seeing his patient labors crowned with success, that will place his name in the foremost rank of that galaxy of bright stars who preceded him in the great field of discovery

The professor's first experiment was to hatch chickens from the egg by the employment of artificial heat, after the manner of the Egyptians In this he was entirely successful, and perfected a simple and compact apparatus, to maintain, by means of hot water an equal temperature for any period of time

This being accomplished, he turned his attention to the production of the egg! This was no easy matter, but after innumerable experiments, during a period of ten years, the details of which would fill a volume, he succeeded in making a correct analysis of an egg One step was accomplished! but the most difficult was yet to be taken—the mysterious combination of the elements so as to form a compound similar to the natural article

Encouraged by his success, the doctor set about his almost hopeless task with a determination to surmount every obstacle. He felt satisfied that it was only by means of galvanism that his object could be accomplished, and directed all his energies to the construction of a battery of constant, equal and moderate power

After trying nearly every kind of battery in use, he had almost begun to despair, when by accident he learned that a constant battery of moderate power had been constructed in England by placing a plate of zinc and a plate of copper in an ordinary flower pot, and keeping the earth moistened with ammonia.

He immediately constructed such an one. After various modifications, he succeeded in adapting it to his purpose; and had the satisfaction, after nearly fourteen years of almost constant experiment, of seeing his labors crowned with success, and producing from elements a substance similar in all respects to an egg

Now came the exciting period of his labors, to see whether this artificially formed egg could be hatched by heat. He placed it in his hatching oven, and watched it through a glass door almost constantly, scarcely taking time to eat or sleep, until he had seen the success of his grand experiment.

Day after day he watched with patient assiduity the consummation of his darling scheme, and at last had the satisfaction of witnessing the consummation of his hopes. On the twentieth day after placing his egg in the oven, a small hole was observed in one side of it, and shortly after the bill of a bird was thrust through. The Professor was almost wild with delight, and several times was on the point of breaking the egg, to see what kind of a bird he was going to have. He restrained himself, however, and next morning had the satisfaction of finding in the receiver a live bird, of some unknown species, perfect in its anatomy, but strange to say, entirely without feathers.

"This most astonishing result," remarks the paper from which we quote, "has almost upset our previous notions of natural philosophy and the governing laws of animal organism. As we gazed upon the featherless bird hopping about and feeding upon the seeds given it, we began to doubt the reality of our own existence, or that of anything about us!"

The Professor, urged on by his success, has set about another analysis, and has no doubt of being able to produce perfect birds of every known species.

The *Allgemeine Zeitung* of the next day remarks that the whole city is electrified with the development.

THE PEABODY EDUCATIONAL FUND.—The good works of the great philanthropist, George Peabody, live after him. His immense wealth was so prudentially and generously disposed that succeeding generations are receiving and will continue to receive untold benefits from his munificence. A late report shows the amounts disbursed to certain Southern States last year from the educational fund set aside by Mr Peabody for their express benefit. Virginia got $23,750; North Carolina, $16,150; Georgia, $6,900; Florida, $600; Alabama, $3,2000, Mississippi, $9,500; Louisiana, $3,700; Texas, $3,000; Tennessee, $22,650, and West Virginia, $7,100—a total of $97,650. South Carolina received nothing on account of the failure of that State to comply with the conditions under which the fund is distributed. It is said, in addition to that, much good is being accomplished through the judicious management of Dr. Barnas Sears, the general agent, in calling the attention of the people to the advantages of the system, and schools are increasing in number and popularity.

Owing to the strong opposition manifested by Bavaria some time ago, it was thought that the Prussian Imperial Government would abandon the idea of purchasing the railways of Germany, but such is the obstinate persistency of Bismarck, that he has caused a bill to be prepared authorizing the proposed sale, and the plan will, no doubt, be fully carried out

Col Frost, at Mukilteo, according to a correspondent of the *Northern Star*, intends getting out this year five million feet of cedar and two and a half million feet of fir, if the lumber market is good.

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JOURNALISM, PERSONAL AND IMPERSONAL

Senator Pierson of the California legislature some time since introduced a bill to require writers of newspaper articles to sign their names to their communications. The bill failed to pass. Most of the papers attacked it as an infringement of their rights. *The press had power enough to control the Senate although no one could give any cogent reason why the principle of the bill is not right.* Mr Henry George, a gentleman not without experience in journalism, in some articles published in the Sacramento *Bee*, and since bound in pamphlet form, espoused the cause of the Pierson bill and presents some telling points against the system of impersonal journalism at which the bill was aimed, viewing the question in its effects upon the journals, upon the writers, upon the masses of the people and upon those particular *individuals outside the newspapers* who are directly affected by it. In every respect the argument is with those who demand that journalism should have individual and personal responsibility connected with it. There is no greater injustice conceivable than that which is perpetrated through *the rule that holds the* name of an anonymous correspondent sacred from disclosure. An adroit writer may prepare an article for publication which contains a covert and unjustifiable attack upon an individual. The editor of the paper to whom the communication is sent, not knowing the circumstances of the case and finding the general character and substance of the article unobjectionable, perhaps desirable, publishes it, when lo! there is a storm about his ears. He has been the means, or rather the instrument, of doing an irreparable wrong. He may give the other side of the story, when it is brought to his notice, but that is but partial amends at most. To give up the name of the real perpetrator of the wrong, without his consent, would be, as journalism goes, a breach of confidence. So the editor who, in the nature of things, can not be impersonal, is held responsible by the injured individual for a wrong he never intended, while the really guilty person is safe behind the impersonality of his anonymous signature.

This is not a rare occurrence, but the experience of almost every day, as every editor can testify. There is a double wrong in the case—a wrong to the individual assailed and a wrong to the editor imposed upon. It hardly needs argument to show that such a rule as compels, or even permits this, is a rule that would be honored more in the breach than in the observance. Whoever takes it upon himself to write for the public ought to be held responsible personally for any unwarranted statements, direct or by innuendo, which he makes concerning others. The true signature of the writer might properly be withheld from the public, if that were desired, unless demanded by some person affected by the publication, but on such demand there ought to be no question of the right and duty to give it. If a man or woman is assailed through a public journal, the name of the assailant should be no secret. We have long felt impressed with the inherent viciousness of this rule of secresy, and are glad to see *that the subject is attracting* such attention as may prove the beginning of a greatly needed reformation. Impersonality in journalism, as we have it in this country, is a vice without a single redeeming feature.

MARDI GRAS

Mardi Gras is become an institution of the South, or rather of a part of the South. The carnival, at Memphis, for the last three years, has surpassed everything else of the kind in which Americans ever engaged. It is a festival of a week, in which business is suspended and, in the language of the dispatch relating to the proceedings now going on, misrule reigns supreme. This festival is modeled upon the carnival in Southern Europe, during the continuance of which all ranks and castes of society mix indiscriminately and join in the most grotesque and boisterous amusements, in masks of every conceivable description. All Madrid is out on the streets during carnival. In great open wagons, carrying twenty or thirty persons, in carriages, and buggies, and dog-carts, on horseback, on donkeys, and on foot, they pour forth, and the great drives and highways are full of the jolly and motley revelers. A common street Arab takes the liberty of speaking in the most impertinent manner to a countess or princess. A cabinet minister is exhibiting himself disfigured as a brigand or even as a wild animal. A duke presents himself as a game cock, or a huge canary bird, with exaggerated tail bedraggled in the dust or mud of the road. A lady driving quietly along in her dog cart with or without mask, is not surprised or insulted by the sudden thrusting of a many times magnified bill of some aquatic fowl, into her face from the side of the vehicle. A nobleman takes neither alarm nor offense at being intelligibly grunted on matters of public interest by an immense swine whose snout approaches threateningly near to his ear.

It is hardly likely that all this will become customary in the Mardi Gras of our own country. The condition of society is such as to discourage it, or, at least, to set limits to the fun. We have not the social *distinctions necessary* to give point to those features which make the carnival what it is at Madrid. But we have an overworked population, who will not fail to find ways and means to fill up a week of innocent rollicking and rioting and general relaxation.

All this looks like foolishness, but it is not foolishness. It is sense. There is philosophy in the old saw of "laugh and grow fat." The unbending of all the energies of mind and body from the care and toil and drudgery of the daily scramble for subsistence, and the giving loose rein for *a brief season* to the love of fun is better medicine than Esculapius or Galen could prescribe. It is the ounce of prevention that is worth many pounds of cure for many ills of body and mind and morals.

NATION OR CONFEDERACY?

To the Editor of the Oregonian:

You strongly insist that our government is *not a* confederacy, a doctrine that I do not propose to contradict. The two opinions obtained in the convention which formed the constitution—that we should be a *nation*, and that we should be a confederation of States, and at times struggled for the mastery. At others each conceded something by way of compromise, and the product was the constitution. Whether that provided for a nation pure and absolute or some kind of a confederacy has ever been a matter of dispute. Suppose all concede that the question is now determined and that we are a nation and that the States possess no significance as such in the national government. How long will New York with four and a half millions of people be content to be *checkmated in the United States Senate* by Nevada with her forty thousand inhabitants, or Oregon with her one hundred thousand? A resolution to base the Senate on population like the House of Representatives once passed the convention by a strong majority. It was afterward rescinded and equal representation of the States consented to as a concession to the State Sovereignty party. Under it the small States have the same number of Senators as the large ones. If New York had as many Senators as Oregon in proportion to her population, she would be entitled to one hundred; or if Oregon had no more than New York upon the same basis she would be entitled to but the fiftieth part of a Senator. Comparing *New York with Nevada* the former would have more than two hundred Senators, or the latter would have less than a hundredth part of one. Supposing the Senate to contain the same number of members it now does the Pacific coast would be entitled to about one member.

The census of 1870 returned 42,491 population for Nevada, and 4,330,210 for New York. The latter State now undoubtedly has fully four and a half millions while Nevada has hardly held her own. Oregon had 90,923. It now probably has a fraction over 100,000—has 100,000 in round numbers.

Is it probable that the present equal or unequal, representation of the States in the Senate *will continue for another century?*

SMALL STATE

WHERE IS O W MORGAN?

DIXIE Polk county, Feb 26, 1876

The man, Otho Wilson Morgan, who gained some newspaper notoriety some fifteen months ago has again vamosed for parts unknown, leaving his family with only a few hundred dollars for their support. Morgan came to *Polk county* about twenty one months ago and bought a farm for which he paid $9,000 cash. He brought with him a young woman and a small child. They passed for man and wife for some time. Some Oregon newspaper noticed the *sale of the land* to Otho Wilson, which was the name that he gave, and in a short time after the sheriff or the county clerk received a letter accompanied with a photograph, requesting them to see if the man was the person they were in quest of. On being answered in the affirmative, in a short time an elderly man and his daughter came from California and called to see said Wilson, but he did not want to see them, and he took his leave for the woods and stayed out all night. They left word that if he did not come and settle in some way by paying them a portion of what the land was worth or by deeding them a portion of the land, they would have him arrested. Wilson sent them word that he would deed part of the land, and sent for the party of whom he bought the land, and had two new deeds made out, one a correction deed, with his full name, which is Otho Wilson Morgan, and the second to the old gentleman from California, who is the father-in-law of Morgan. The young woman that Morgan brought with him was a girl that had worked in the family and had been of good character, but had left some time before Morgan left his home in California. Morgan had sold a fine farm in California. Mrs. Morgan and her father returned to California, but it seems that for the sake of the children Mrs Morgan wrote to Morgan that if he would send this girl away she would come and live with him. Morgan gave the girl $1,000, and sent her back to California, and Mrs Morgan and her little son and daughter came to Oregon and brought a deed conveying this land back to Morgan. Everything went on smoothly until the 15th of last January, when he sold out his farm and all his personal property for $7,500, and on the 18th of the same month started off again. The family have not heard from him, and perhaps never will.

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OCTROI DUTY IN PORTLAND

The San Francisco *Chronicle* indulges in this bit of burlesque at the expense of our city:

Portland in Oregon is a walled city. It contains a little less than 2,000,000 of inhabitants, while the entire State numbers about 30,000,000 of people. It is located very nearly in the center of the State, and is remarkable for the beauty of its public edifices, the width of its boulevards, its extensive parks and pleasure grounds, and for the intelligence, wealth and culture of its citizens. *The surrounding* country lying without the walls is densely settled with an industrious and enterprising population, and the land is subject to the highest cultivation. Lying beyond the walls are beautiful drives and pleasure grounds, suburban villas and royal palaces. The river Willamette runs through the town, and is noted for its tranquil beauty and for the pellucid clearness of its waters, its banks, on either side, before it reaches and after it leaves the great, thronged modern Babylon are bordered with splendid farms and magnificent estates, in the highest condition of culture. The gates of the town are closed at evening and opened in the morning. When the gates are thrown open at *early dawn the country people*, the peasantry, some on foot, some with donkeys, and some with rude carts, come thronging into the city, bearing their farm produce, the products of the dairy and the garden, for sale. Herds of sleek looking cows, flocks of bleating sheep with the noisy cackle and gobble of hens and turkeys, the merry chat of peasant men and maids all intent upon reaching the early market, forms an interesting and pleasant scene. *Before passing the gate* either with stall fed ox or bouquet of wild flowers, for everything intended for sale an octroi duty *must be paid and the revenue officer goes* through petticoats and panniers to see that no concealed merchandise escapes its share of the governmental burden.

Upon a more careful perusal of our manuscript we find we have made a mistake. We have been describing Paris and France and the Seine instead of Portland upon the banks of the Willamette in Oregon. Our error has arisen from the fact that Portland is the only town in America that demands an octroi duty and denies to the producers of the country the right to traffic with the burghers of the town without prepayment of a tax. We will not unwrite our description for surely an American city which can thus imitate the *customs of a great European metropolis* and deny to its surrounding farmers the right to sell their products within its streets, must feel very strong in its metropolitan independence, and is only anticipating the time when like Paris which is France, Portland shall become Oregon.

THE MISSISSIPPI IMPROVEMENT. Washington Feb 15. Mr Eads denies the truth of *the report telegraphed hence* that he had come to Washington to ask Congress to change the terms of his grant for deepening the mouth of the Mississippi because of his financial inability to continue the work, until 30 feet of water shall be secured. The latest dispatches from the work, he says, continue to be of the most cheering character and his grant will scarcely be one year old before the channel over the South Pass bar will be the deepest outlet of the Mississippi, although it was only half the depth of the rest when he received permission from the government to deepen it *at the sole risk of himself* and associates.

SUPREME COURT

SALEM, March 1 1876

Forester vs Robbins; appeal from Multnomah county; submitted.

Sohns vs Beck; appeal from Multnomah county; taken up.

If P H will give us his full name we will attend to his article.

DIED:

Near Independence, Feb 28, Lera Davidson, aged ... G. Mendenhall, aged 52.

OREGON

There has been considerable sickness on Coos bay for some weeks past.

About 40 buildings have been erected in Marshfield during the year past.

Some of the citizens of Eagle creek, Clackamas county, talk of putting up one of Kelly's *Centennial Evaporators.*

About $1,600 was subscribed one day last week towards a new bridge across the Santiam at Green's ferry in Jefferson.

Ole Hanson a Norwegian sailor who shipped aboard the new schooner *Laura May* for San Francisco from Coos Bay was knocked overboard on the 17th inst by the main boom and drowned.

If anybody knows the whereabouts of Isaiah Ehrich, who came to Oregon from Pennsylvania after the close of the late war they will confer a favor by *writing of him to* ... Ehrich, Berrysburg, Dauphin Co, Pa.

The soil in the vicinity of Silverton, Marion county has been tried for *hops* by Mr Wolford and found to be fine. Mr W produced more than one thousand pounds per acre on *seven acres, the first year of planting* which is a big average as hops usually produce but a half crop the first year.

Captain Daniel H Murphy of the Salem Capital Guards having resigned, and Second Lieutenant McAdams having removed from the State, Brigadier General Brown has ordered a special election to fill the vacancies in that company to be held at Salem next Monday evening, March 6th.

JEFFERSON ITEMS

Under date of March 1st, our correspondent sends the following:

No cases of fever—health good, and doctors wishing for better times.

Corbitt & Macleay are shipping from their flouring mill large quantities of flour and mill feed to Portland, and cannot supply the demand.

The people are much pleased to learn that Corbitt & Macleay anticipate supplying their mill with a pair of burrs for the manufacture of oatmeal. Just what the country needs and it will pay big.

James Bates, Esq, the first white man known to cultivate the soil or raise "wappatoes" in Oregon, had the misfortune to fall and break his leg, some three months ago, and has been slowly convalescing, but has not ventured to try the strength of his broken limb.

The North Santiam bridge is progressing nicely in the anticipations and speculations of the people, and Scio and Jefferson expect soon to shake hands across the bloody (watery) chasm. A public meeting for this purpose is called for on Friday next, another, in the *Forks, on Saturday.*

NEW TO-DAY.

Ecru Lace, Netting, Bows, Ties, Ruffling and other novelties for sale at 107 Third street by JOHN WILSON

Willamette Engine Co. No. 1.—Regular Meeting this Thursday evening at 7½ o'clock.
M F SPLISCER, Sec'y

Multnomah Engine Co. No. 2.—Regular Meeting this (Thursday) evening at 7 o'clock.
B I NORDEN, Sec'y

Protection Engine Co. No. 4.—Regular Monthly Meeting this (Thursday) Evening at 7½ o'clock.
R S McLERAN, Sec'y

$10,000 TO LOAN.

U. S. GOLD COIN TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE at J B ROBERTS', Stock and Money Broker, No 70 First street

FOR SALE.

AN ELEGANT NEW HARD FINISHED HOUSE situate between Stark and Oak on Eighth st. For terms apply to J B ROBERTS, Stock and Money Broker, No 70 First street

NOTICE.

IF THE GENTLEMEN WHO TOOK SOME LETTERS from the Postoffice directed to Henry P. Johnson, on Saturday, Feb 26, will return them to the Postoffice I will be much obliged.
m2d3t HENRY P JOHNSON

FURNISHED HOUSE TO LET.

OPPOSITE PUBLIC SQUARE, OLYMPIA W T. Contains 10 rooms. Will be let after March 15 *for a term of months or the summer.* Until March 15 apply to JAS. S LAWSON—after that to Capt. JOHN G PARKER, Olympia, W T

WANTED.

AT OUR EMPLOYMENT OFFICE—1 CHEESE maker $50 per month; 1 man to manage a farm $40; 5 men to work on a farm, 2 or 3 good milkers; 1 sheep herder; 1 to drive a team on a farm; 3 men to do some grubbing, 1 to work in and about a sawmill; 15 wood choppers, and 6 or 8 good girls or women for general housework. Cosmopolitan Block Front street, Portland.
m2d2t WITHERELL & MURRAY

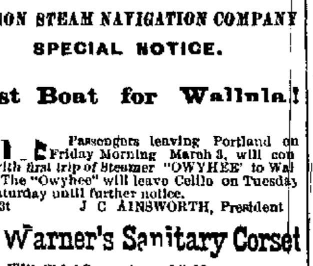
OREGON STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY

SPECIAL NOTICE.

First Boat for Wallula!

Passengers leaving Portland on Friday Morning, March 3, will connect *with first trip of Steamer* "OWYHEE" to Wallula. The "Owyhee" will leave Celilo on Tuesday and Saturday until further notice.
m2d3t J C AINSWORTH, President

Dr. Warner's Sanitary Corset



With Skirt Supporter and Self-Adjusting Pads.

Secures HEALTH and COMFORT of body, with GRACE and BEAUTY of form

Short Front. Long Front.

Patented Sept 28, '75, And Jan 11, 1876

No lady who tries this Corset will ever use any other. Price in London Cord, $2, Satteen $1 75. Agents wanted. Samples sent by mail at 25c less than retail price. Give size of waist, and state whether long or short point is desired. Address Mrs M A WARNER, Portland Oregon. m2d6t

AUCTION SALE OF BUILDINGS.

On MONDAY, March 6, at 11 o'clock, I will sell on the premises, the 2-Story Building situated on the northwest corner of First and Alder streets.

ALSO,

The Two Buildings situated on the northwest corner of Second and Yamhill streets.

ALSO,

The Counters, Shelving, &c., in said Buildings.

Terms—CASH. Particulars at Sale.

OSCAR KILBOURN, Auctioneer.

NEW GOODS.

ALDEN DRIED APPLES
" " PEARS.
" " PLUMS.
" " PEACHES
" " TOMATOES.

For sale by
HACHENEY & STEMME,
Dealers in First Class Groceries,
Corner Taylor and First sts.

ASSESSMENT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ON THE ... 5th day of February A. D. 1876 an Assessment of ... cents on each share of the capital stock of the Oregon Quartz Mill and Mining Company was levied, payable on or before the ... day of March 1876 at the Secretary's office, Room No. 5 ... Dekum building, Portland Oregon.
H H NORTHUP
Secretary O Q M & M Co.
Portland March 1 1876 m1d10t

Monroe Landing,

Saturday, March 4, 1876.

Str. City of Salem.

NEW TO-DAY.

IRISH LINENS, all linen Ties at 25 cents ... for sale at 107 Third st by JOHN WILSON

$1 25 PER ACRE.

WILL BUY 80 ACRES OF GOOD AGRICULTURAL land (mostly brush and timber) situate in Washington county, within 1 miles of the Railroad. If applied for soon. *For particulars* see GEO WOODWARD, Office, Cosmopolitan Hotel Block.

BLUE VITRIOL,

AT THE LOWEST MARKET PRICE
T. A. DAVIS & CO.,
Dealers in Drugs, Paints, Oils and Glass,
71 Front street.

2, 3 and 4 Button

Jouvin's Kid Gloves

at

CLARKE & HENDERSON'S.

MACHINE OILS!

LARD OIL, CHINA OIL, DOG FISH, Spindle oil and Castor oil

IN LOTS TO SUIT,

HODGE, CALEF & CO.,

DEALERS IN

Drugs, Paints, Oils and Glass,

75 Front Street.

CANCERS

ARE NOW SUCCESSFULLY TREATED IN Portland without the use of the knife by **DR. ALDRICH**, late of Philadelphia. Also all

CHRONIC

Diseases of the brain, spine, heart, liver, kidneys, womb and all of those weaknesses or nervous complaints which so often cause the sufferer to drag out a miserable existence, to take on premature old age and hurry down to an untimely grave. Ninety per cent of the aches and pains so common to women might be avoided and many a home where there is nought but suffering and want might be the abode of happy souls crowned with health and plenty if they would only seek **proper timely aid.** Those suffering with any malignant growth or sores should apply early, for time in their case is often of vital importance.

Office and treating Rooms 127 and 129 First St, Portland Oregon. 1d4t

Spiral Spring Mattresses

MADE IN THE MOST THOROUGH MANNER. We use only the Eagleton Manuf'g Co Steel tempered black Japanned Springs.

Woven Wire Spring Beds.

Summit Spring Bed, $5 00. This is a slat Bed with a heavy steel spring under each corner.

The self fastening Flynn Spring, from two to four dozen to a bed, at $1 50 per doz. Curled Hair Mattresses from 75c to $1 per lb according to quality. Best black N O Moss Mattresses. Wool, Pulu and Straw Mattresses.

We would call the attention of the public to the fact that we manufacture our own Bedding of the best material, not an ounce of second hand stuff is used but everything turned out by this Establishment is clean, fresh and new and at the lowest possible prices. Also for sale Blankets, Quilts, Comforts, Sheets, Pillow Cases, Feathers, Hair, Moss and Pulu, Wholesale and Retail.

OREGON FURNITURE MFG CO.
Cor Yamhill and First

THE SPRING STYLES FOR 1876

IN

Silk Hats Beaver & Cassimere,

ARE NOW READY,

And for Sale in Large Assortments, at

MEUSSDORFFER'S.

111 FRONT STREET.

WE CALL PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO our Stock of Fine **FELT** and **BEAVER HATS**, they are a great improvement in style and quality to those that have been introduced of former seasons.

STOCK PRIVILEGES.

PUTS AND CALLS.

WE MAKE A SPECIALTY OF DEALING IN Stock Privileges, and are prepared to negotiate "Puts," "Calls" and "Spreads," or Double Privileges, at the closest market rates. This mode of operating in Stocks has been in vogue in San Francisco about one year and has proved of great advantage to small operators. $10 to $100 controls 10 to 100 shares of any stock for 10 to 30 days. "Calls" often paying a profit of $500 to $2,500 on investments of $10 to $100.

Comprehensive Circular explaining privileges and the best mode of operating, mailed free to any address.

J. A. BAKER & CO.,
Stock Brokers and dealers in Stock Privileges
330 Pine Street,
Opposite the New Stock Exchange
San Francisco

CITY TAXES.

The TAX ROLL for 1876 is now in my hands for collection, and all Taxes assessed thereon must be paid at my office, No. 93 First St., within Thirty Days from this date or the same will be returned as delinquent.

JOSEPH BACHMAN,
Treasurer City of Portland.
Portland, Feb. 28, 1876.

HATS! HATS!

A FULL LINE AND LATEST STYLES AT VERY LOW PRICES,

JUST OPENED AT

NEIMEYER & UTTER'S,

MERCHANT TAILORS,
31 FIRST STREET.

"MORRISON,"

First Street, between Stark and Oak.

WINES, LIQUORS AND CIGARS.

Furnished Rooms by the Month.

NOTICE

INTENDING TO LEAVE ON THE SECOND Steamer in March and being in need of funds to make my Spring purchases I would call the attention of parties having book account with me that to settle them in ... the time.
fe1 29d1st ... FRIEDAGH

BRITISH SHIP "ORIFLAMME."

NEITHER CAPTAIN HUGHES NOR THE UNdersigned Consignees will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above named vessel.
fe1d29d1t CORBITT & MACLEAY

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AMUSEMENTS.

GRAND CONTINENTAL BALL,

BY

Baker & Canby Post No. 1, G.A.R.

AT TURN HALLE,

MARCH 10, 1876.

Committee of Arrangements.
... | H. B. OATMAN
C. W. JOHNSON | FRANK STORY
JOHN ...

Reception Committee
T. H. WOODWARD | W. S. NEWBURY
WM. ... | VAN B. DeLASHMUTT
J. SAUNDERS

Floor Committee
... SEARS | THEO. BAKER
JOS. ... | ... DuBOIS
JOHN ...

TICKETS (Admitting Gentleman & Ladies) $1 50.

Proceeds to be applied towards defraying expenses of Decoration Day May 30 1876. fe29d1d

Portland City Floral Park.

PROSERPINA
LOUIS G. PFUNDER

2,000 CYPRESSES (OREGON GROWTH) at 0 cent and upward

Extra Large Stock of Roses, Shrubbery, Etc. Pot Plants at ... at Eastern Prices. Bulbs of Gladiolus, Tuberoses, Dahlias, Madeira, Caladiums E., Canna I., Etc.

BOUQUETS ARTISTICALLY COMPOSED

Particular attention given to Private Gardening. City and Country orders well packed and shipped.

L. G. PFUNDER, Florist,
Second Third Clay and Market streets

GREAT REDUCTION IN PRICES!

We will sell our entire Stock of

BOOTS & SHOES,

For Cost, for the next 15 Days.

To make room for a Large Stock of SPRING and SUMMER GOODS, at the

OPPOSITION BOOT AND SHOE STORE,

Cor. First and Stark Sts, Portland.

CAHALIN & GOODMAN.

MRS. OGDEN,

CUTTER AND FITTER OF LADIES' AND Childrens Clothes by the "Tailor's System."

Corner Fourth and A Streets.

A perfect fit guaranteed. Also instructions for using the "Tailor's System." Instructions in the Basque, Plain and French Waists, Pointed Yokes, Low Neck Dresses $10. $5 advance on all the above. Also Wrappers, Cloaks, Sacques, Little Boys Coats, Pants and Vests; Girls' costumes of every style, the cutting of trimmings and the art of basting a vest all for $15. Mrs O having bought the agency for Portland and adjacent towns. Stamping and pinking. Patterns of all kinds cut by measurement. feb21d1m

PLUMMER FRUIT DRYER.

AS A PROOF OF WHAT I HAVE HERETOFORE stated to the people of Oregon I give below a letter from the Plummer Fruit Drying Co of East Portland. After the close of business of 1875, fully endorsing it after using it one entire season and as a proof to substantiate what they say they now contemplate putting up another Dryer of the same capacity of the one they now have which will increase their capacity to five hundred bushels of apples per day. Having now located here in Portland for the purpose of supplying the demand for Fruit Dryers in Oregon and Washington Territory I can supply these dryers at a cost of from $1,000 to $6,000, according to capacity. Warranted to dry from 4 to 20 bushels of apples per hour, at a small cost for labor and fuel. These machines being so cheap and simple in construction, they cannot fail to supersede all other known machines. I would also say to the fruit growers that I have invented a Machine (and am now waiting for a patent) that will cut and spread the fruit on the trays with a very small amount of labor. I also have invented a Peach Parer that is an entirely new principle, paring soft as well as hard; does its work well with great speed and slices and pits the fruit ready for the Dryer in the best possible manner, and at a great saving in quantity of fruit.

Having become somewhat acquainted with the *wants of the people, I find that a cheap DRYER is* what is wanted and one that will do good work and a large amount of it I have so modified my Dryer as to meet that demand and can now guarantee my CHEAP DRYER to do as good work as any and as large an amount of it, and the price is within the reach of all.

W S PLUMMER, Patentee,
Ja7d&w1f Portland, Oregon

FRUIT DRYER TESTIMONIALS.

EAST PORTLAND, Jan 4th, 1876.

MR W S PLUMMER—*Dear Sir*: As this is a time when all are much interested in Fruit Drying we think that in justice to you and for the information of the public it is but right and proper that we should give all the information that we can. Now after having operated your Dryer during this season we feel warranted in saying that for the amount of money invested we still believe as we did from the start that *your* Dryer is the best Dryer yet introduced into this country. The capacity of the Dryer we find to be about 8 (eight) bushels per hour. The Dried fruit we claim to be as good as any, though perhaps not as much bleached as the "Alden." Fruit and we are satisfied that we can produce Dried Fruit at less expense than the "Alden." The stockholders of our Company manifested their confidence in the Plummer Dryer at our meeting last Saturday, by a unanimous vote to increase *the capital stock $1,000 (twelve thousand dollars)* for the purpose of adding one more Dryer to the present one and making other improvements for next season. We will further say that we believe *that by an improvement made by the patentee in the Heater* and ... that there will be an increase of capacity and a saving of fuel.

H HANSON President,
J S NEWELL Secretary and Superintendent.

EAST PORTLAND Dec 18, 1875

MR PLUMMER—*Dear Sir*: I have been watching both the Alden and your *Fruit Dryer* the past season so as to determine which was the best Machine for drying Prunes. I visited the Alden Dryer at Oregon City and examined the Prunes dried on that Machine and I have also examined several lots dried on your Machine at East Portland and my opinion is that your Dryer is far the best Machine for drying Prunes. My reasons are these: Your Machine dries them without bursting or cracking, while I notice that a great deal of the fruit dried on the Alden Machine was bursted open, and after a Prune is bursted in drying it is worthless. I ... therefore I can recommend your Machine for drying Prunes or any thing else. Yours truly,

B W PRETTYMAN
Proprietor of Railroad Nursery

PORTLAND Jan 10, 1876

MR W S PLUMMER—*Dear Sir*: The Dryer purchased by us from you for the purpose of drying ... Onions has now been in operation two months and ... We think that ... the very best quality.
Yours truly ... STEEL & CO

CH. LOUIS KUHN,

Corner of Front and ... Dealer in

BILLIARDS AND BILLIARD GOODS

Of all Descriptions, CLOTHS, BALLS, CUES, &c. Sole Agent and importer of the ... celebrated ... Tables ... for ... Second Hand Billiard ... Tables for sale ... Direct ... Box ...

FURS! FURS!! FURS!!!

W ... the ... Hotel ... hands ... purchased ...

L. JANE A. FALKINBURG,
... street

2,000 Kegs Island Sugars,

Assorted Grades.

For sale by ALLEN & LEWIS.

FLOWERS OF

WANTS.

WANTED.

ROOMS FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED AND Board for a gentleman and wife in a private family. Central location preferred. Address Lock Box 80 P O. fe1 28d1t

WANTED.

A PARTNER IN A GOOD DAIRY RANCH containing ... acres. A fine location and well adapted to the business for making butter or selling milk in the city four miles from the Albina Ferry Landing, nearly all improved, with stock and wagons, farming tools, all in good order. The proprietor is in poor health, and wants an active, industrious steady man to take charge. A single man preferred. Terms $1,000 down, balance on time to suit.

Address Dairyman Portland Oregon
February 28, 1876 fe28d&w

TO LET.

FURNISHED ROOMS,

WITH OR WITHOUT BOARD, AT THE RESidence formerly occupied by Dr Mary A Thomson. Suit of Rooms on first floor.
fe1 1m Mrs L C PATTON

FOR SALE.

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SECOND HAND PIANO IN EXCELLENT ORder first class make, for sale very cheap at SHERMAN & HYDE'S, 119 & 121 First st near Morrison
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FOR SALE.

THE TWO STORY BUILDING SITUATED ON First between Stark and Oak streets known as WEISER'S SALOON, together with Saloon and Lodging House Furniture and Fixtures, complete in everything.

For particulars inquire of
E. L. BERMAN
On Board the Steamer Willamette Chief

FOR SALE.

A HALF INTEREST IN THE POPULAR CENtral Market COFFEE STAND. Reason—Early departure for Europe. F FABRE

$1 50 PER ACRE

WILL BUY 280 ACRES of GOOD LAND (MOSTly brush and timber) within nine miles of Portland. Title perfect for its sale. *Who can beat it.* For particulars see DeLASHMUTT & OATMAN, Retail Bankers. fe24d6t

FOR SALE.

THE UNDERSIGNED WANTS TO SELL HIS City property, Lot 2, Block 86½, Raleigh's Addition and Lots 7 and 8, Block 232. For particulars apply to Dr J. SCHWAB, Evansville, Indiana, or B GOLDSMITH, Esq

FOR SALE—A BARGAIN.

A DWELLING ON MAIN STREET NEAR Fifth containing five rooms, hard finished, with lot 31x100. Price $1250, half cash and balance in 6 or 12 *months. Enquire at* NATHAN'S Second Hand Furniture Store, Front street, near Columbia. fe18d1m

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE.

TWO FARMS, IN EASTERN OREGON, CONtaining the necessary apparatus pertaining thereto such as implements of husbandry, also, stock teams, a fine collection of brood mares and young horses, etc., etc. All fenced and is very rich prairie bottom land and under a good state of cultivation, yielding last year 80 bushels of oats to the acre. One of 500 acres, adjoining the town of LaGrande, Union county, Oregon, and in close proximity to the University, one of the finest schools in the State, has a pure stream of water running through it the year round, with dwelling house and necessary out buildings. The other, situated about 5 miles from LaGrande, containing 320 acres of equally as good soil; about one-half good hay land, the balance good agricultural land, capable of raising 50 bushels of wheat or 80 bushels of oats to the acre, also prairie land. The best fenced farm in the country, in a good neighborhood, close to mills and schools, and only 2 miles to an extensive grazing country of fine bunch grass, cannot be excelled for stock raising purposes. Also, in the town of LaGrande, a Livery Stable, with stock carriages, buggies, and everything necessary to carry it on, also, a good residence, well furnished with nice garden attached, also 3 acres of an orchard of the choicest fruits, bearing well every year. Having business elsewhere, I am desirous of selling or exchanging part or all of the above described property for a good farm or lands in the Willamette valley.

For particulars inquire of me, at the St Charles Hotel, Portland Oregon.

GEORGE COGGAN

Executors' Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE UNdersigned will sell at private sale the South ½ of Lots 4 and 5 in Block No. 40, in the City of Portland, Oregon, known as CREE'S BLOCK.

For terms of sale apply to
JOHN A. CRAWFORD, at Albany,
or JOHN CATLIN, at Portland,
Executors of Last Will and Testament of Wm. Cree, deceased

R. C. JANION & CO.

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Commission Merchants.

AGENTS FOR LLOYDS.

OFFER FOR SALE,

- TENNENT'S ALE, pints and quarts.
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- Guinness' STOUT, pints.
- RED CASE GIN, (Rynbende & Sons brand).
- Hennessy, Martell and Jules Robin's BRANDIES, in case and bulk.
- Scotch and Irish WHISKIES, in case and bulk.
- JAMAICA RUM.
- CHAMPAGNES.
- The Finest SHERRIES, in bulk, ever imported to this market, all at reduced prices.
- CURRY POWDER and CURRANTS.
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- SALAD and COD LIVER OILS.
- EPSOM SALTS and CITRATE OF MAGNESIA.
- SAGO and TAPIOCA.
- DRY GOODS and CARPETS.
- PAINTS and VARNISHES.
- CHLORIDE OF LIME and SODA ASH.
- WHEAT SACKS and HESSIANS.
- Seaming and Roping TWINE.
- CANNEL COAL, &c., &c.

R. C. JANION & CO.

Offer for sale

PAINTS!

WHITE LEAD, in tins of 25lbs. each.

VENETIAN RED, in oil, in tins of 25 and 10 lbs. each.

BLACK PAINT, in tins of 25 and 10 lbs.

GREEN PAINT, assorted shades, in 1 lb. tins.

R. C. JANION & CO.

Offer for sale

One 7-Octave ROSEWOOD PIANO, London Model

One 7-Octave ROSEWOOD PIANO, Paris Prize Model

At Wholesale Prices.

STATE BAKERY,

COR. FIRST AND MADISON STREETS,

PORTLAND OREGON

JOHN WINTTER - - - PROPRIETOR

I RESPECTFULLY INFORM MY FRIENDS A... the public in general that I have taken the ... above establishment and am prepared to furnish them with all kinds of

Crackers, Bread, Cakes and Pa...

New York Handmade Bread

MATZOS! MATZOS! MA...

To the Israelites of Ore...

I HEREWITH GIVE NOTICE ... again as heretofore ... with Matzos for the coming Pass... ... with ... Orders ... promptly ...

NOTICE.

MELCHIOR YOUNT, FROM ... many years ... at ... at ... of his ... news ... same time ... of ... Mich...

Portland Oregon, Feb 2...
Pacific coast paper...

... OUR ... amused ... in the ... important ... I have ... not run ... AULT ... w&wtt

MOUNT HOOD.

AUCTION AND CO...

A. B. RICHAR...

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COR. OF FRONT AND ...

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OF REAL ESTATE, GROCERIES ... CHANDISE AND ...

Sale Days—Wednesday and ...

At Private Sale...

Large assortment of GROCERIES ... Liberal advances made on C... To parties declining Houseke... that I will purchase Second-Hand ... A B RICHARDSON

Regular and Peremptory ...
OF

Furniture, Groceries, ... Merchandise, ...

SATURDAY, MARCH 4, ...
At 10 o'clock A. M., ...

BEDROOM, DININGROOM A... FURNITURE.

ALSO,
25 kegs TOMATO CATSUP,
20 cases PICKLES

ALSO,
40 cases OLIVE OIL,
50 bxs CANDLES
100 bxs FAMILY SOAP,

ALSO,
100 cases PEPPER SAUCE,
20 cases AXLE GREASE.

ALSO,
On account of whom it may ...
25 sacks BACON,
10 sacks SHOULDERS.
A. B. RICHARDSON, ...

INSURANCE ...

UNION

Insurance Co...

FIRE AND MAR...

Capital, (PAID UP IN GOLD COIN,) ...

Assets, exceed ...

BRANCH OFFICE FOR ...

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THE STA...

Investment & I...

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OF SAN FRANCI...

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Incorporated in ...

Cash Assets, ...

OFFICERS:

PETER DONAHUE, ... A. J. B...
President.
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THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE ... Bible Society will be held in ... Church in this city on WEDNE... commencing at 10 o'clock A. M., ... meeting same day, commencing at ... sermon will be delivered in the ... eral addresses in the evening. ... cause are cordially invited to be ...
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THURSDAY MORNING MARCH 2 ...

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VERDICT FOR THE DEFENDANT — In the case [illegible] Frederick Paine, plaintiff, for damages against John Dixon and Henry Holtgrieve, [illegible] defendants, in the circuit court [illegible] for false imprisonment the jury returned a verdict for defendants.

FREE CARRIAGE — Arrangements have been made by which patients for the [illegible] Hospital will find a free carriage at [illegible] at Corbett's Stable [illegible] at the stable of [illegible] Oregon Transfer Co.

ANNUAL ELECTION — This evening the annual election of officers of the Washington [illegible] will be held at the armory of the com[illegible] Every member of the company is ex[illegible] to be present.

ROUTE AGENT — Thos Frazer received on [illegible] day his commission as route agent between Portland and Tacoma vice Chas [illegible] removed. He goes on duty this morning.

TERRIFIC EXPLOSION

EXPLOSION ON BOARD A SCOW USED AT UMATILLA [illegible] IN IMPROVING THE CHANNEL OF THE [illegible] AT THAT PLACE — THIRTEEN MEN MISSING — ONE MAN KILLED OUTRIGHT — TWO [illegible] INJURED — LIST OF THOSE MISSING

A special dispatch to the *Daily* [illegible] *by* the O S N Co's line gives the following account of the terrible explosion which occurred yesterday forenoon on board one of the scows at Umatilla Rapids:

UMATILLA, March 1 — The scow belonging to Grant & Stone, [illegible] moving [illegible] and widening the channel at Umatilla Rapids was blown up this morning at 11 o'clock. The report of the explosion was heard for several miles from the scene of the accident and portions of the wreck were scattered over a very [illegible] pieces being carried half a [illegible] mile. Many at first thought the noise was occasioned by the firing of a cannon and were only relieved of their mistake when parties from the place of disaster came hurriedly to tell of the frightful accident which had occurred.

Nothing definite as to the cause of the explosion and there are many [illegible] rumors [illegible] Some say that the boiler ex[illegible] and are positive in their statements [illegible] others are as emphatic in their claim [illegible] the accident was caused by [illegible] the igniting of a package of giant powder [illegible] for blasting purposes stored too near the furnace.

All news from the wreck very [illegible] very indefinite and unsatisfactory. Without being able to give names it is quite evident to all that the loss of human life was very heavy. So far as known one man was killed outright, two are wounded [illegible] and twelve others missing, probably blown into the river and drowned.

UMATILLA, March 1 — 2 P M — The scow of Grant & Stone was blown up at Umatilla Rapids at 10 o'clock this morning.

The following persons who were connected with the work are all right: Col Bassett, Miskr, [illegible] Russell, Tabor, Stone, Snooks, McGinnis, Gray.

Following are the names of those who are missing: Connelly, Hansen, Mangon, Saith, van Bogg, Kruss, Hathaway, Bruder, McMahon, Watty, Penbrook, Nevell, McCabe.

Every precaution had been taken that was possible. Cartridges had been loaded and placed in the water. Powder fuse and caps had been completely put away and the order had been given to turn away on capstan when the explosion took place apparently inside of the cabin on the boat. The explosion was so terrific that it shook the buildings in Umatilla six miles distant. The boat was blown into pieces, a complete wreck. Gray was badly burnt and taken out of the water by the small boat. As yet only McCabe's body has been recovered.

The Latest.

Col J M Wilson received the following dispatch yesterday afternoon:

UMATILLA, March 1, 1876

To Col J M Wilson — Scow blown to fragments by powder. Thirteen men missing. Coe, myself, Bassett and Stone are safe.

R M TABOR.

SOCIAL EVENTS.

Quite a number of the young friends of Emanuel Beck visited the residence of his parents on Monday evening with a view to wish him *bon voyage* on his trip to San Francisco where he goes to locate. An evening of extreme pleasure was passed in music, singing, social converse and dancing.

The fourth and most successful of the series of parties given by the Waverly Club came off at Turn Halle on Tuesday evening. The elegant and popular hall was the scene of gaiety for hours, the greater portion of the assembly preferring to stay till the last moment, though the lenten season had commenced. Universal regret was expressed that this was the last of the series and the ladies, who, by the way, exceeded in numbers the opposite sex, were greatly disappointed in this respect. The fair ones, who looked charming on the occasion, have added materially towards the success of the Waverly parties and for their sake the gallant members of the club should arrange another social affair at no distant date. As this is leap year perhaps the ladies will do the handsome.

BRIEF NOTES.

Portland is again without a place of amusement — except Wood's museum.

To-day the vessels *Doune Castle* and *Tam O'Shanter* will arrive here from down the river in tow of the *Annie Stewart*.

Gas consumers will save one dollar per thousand feet by calling at the company's office to-day or to-morrow and settling their bills.

Yesterday the ship *Oriflamme* which has been discharging ballast at Albina, was towed up to Pacific Dock, where she will receive a cargo of wheat.

Late yesterday afternoon the O S N Co's line was prostrated beyond Celilo and further particulars of the disaster at Umatilla Rapids could not be obtained.

By a change in the time of holding court in the second Judicial district of Washington Territory court will convene at Vancouver on the fourth Monday, (26th) of the present month.

POLICE COURT NOTES.

For indulging in a slightly hilarious jamboree J Murphy was fined $10 which sum he forthwith liquidated and was a free man.

A man named Harry King for indulging in deep potations of the "ardent," was called upon to contribute $5. He contributed and walked off.

Wm Fox and John Reed, for sipping too much rum and then conducting themselves in a turbulent manner, were each fined $5. It was a case of simple default and these covies went below three days as the price of poverty.

P Galligan, who was too drunk to have his trial Tuesday morning, was called up yesterday his muddled and grog disordered brain having become a little clearer. He was fined the modest sum of $10, and being overcome by his chronic impecuniosity he consented to clean muddy cross walks for the next five days.

EDUCATIONAL.

The following is the monthly report of the public schools of the city for the month ending Feb 25, 1876:

Schools	No of days attendance	No of days absence	No belonging	Average daily attendance	Per ct attend	Times tardy	No of girls	No of boys	No enrolled
High	981	18	[illegible]	[illegible]	91	16	[illegible]	[illegible]	137
Central	[illegible]	[illegible]	317	[illegible]	[illegible]	18	200	[illegible]	421
Harrison st	8181	[illegible]	313	[illegible]	[illegible]	4	18	[illegible]	[illegible]
North	[illegible]	[illegible]	388	[illegible]	92	38	181	222	400
Total	4083	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	1140

*Mumps and colds were the causes of very many of the absences. Last month there was more sickness among the pupils than during any preceding month of the present school year.

THE COURTS.

[illegible] COURT — SHATTUCK J

WEDNESDAY, March 1 1876

[illegible] vs [illegible] M Carter and [illegible] written offer

Abrams, Hogue & Lawrence vs C A Reed [illegible] continued for the term

Frederick Payne vs John Dixon [illegible] trial and [illegible]

WEATHER REPORT — From the records of the Signal Station of Observation, Portland, March 1 1876:

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[illegible]	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy
[illegible]ther			[illegible]

[illegible] which said [illegible] yesterday we [illegible] Mr Waldman of the [illegible] A Waldman [illegible] below to [illegible] stock. They offer their pres[illegible] Boys and Children's cloth[illegible] [illegible] call and satisfy your [illegible] self.

[illegible] and [illegible] mortal [illegible] Central Market [illegible] give their [illegible] to the wants of hungry [illegible]

Tuesday [illegible] big crow[illegible] Thursday and Saturday nights [illegible]

Those [illegible] for other [illegible] judges say that it is useless to compete with the Nos 6 and 7 Wheeler & Wilson. They do such a tremendous variety of work and so easily.

COMMON COUNCIL.

REGULAR MEETING — MARCH 1 1876

A regular meeting of the Common Council was held last evening at the chamber, His Honor Jas A Chapman presiding.

In attendance W S Caldwell auditor and clerk and James H Lappeus chief of police.

Present — Councilmen Andrews, Besser, Cathcart, Corbett, Hoyt, Steinman and Wiley.

Absent — Shattuck.

PETITIONS AND REMONSTRANCES

Petition of [illegible] H [illegible] was [illegible] to amend Ordinance 310 to extend fire limits, etc, was referred to the committee on fire and water.

CLAIMS AGAINST THE CITY

[illegible] W Taylor $[illegible]; [illegible] W Strong $[illegible]; Wm Frazer [illegible] Hendrie $3 [illegible]; H Butler $[illegible]; Wm Bradbury $[illegible]; John Barrett $[illegible]; [illegible] H Butler $12; H W Corbett $[illegible]; [illegible] Gill $[illegible]; Chas Lawrence, $[illegible] police [illegible] bills; John Dan[illegible] $[illegible]; [illegible] Bunting $11 80; Holman & Co $[illegible]; Peter Sykes $[illegible]; D Halgrimer $[illegible]; Taber & Jakobs $[illegible]; W O Allen $[illegible]; A B Hallock $[illegible]; Geo [illegible] Tra[illegible] $18.

ORDINANCES

An ordinance to provide the time and manner of improving Stark street lying between Second and Fourth was read the second and third time and passed.

UNFINISHED ORDINANCES

An ordinance introduced by Councilman Wiley and read second time Feb 2d in relation to the construction of buildings for the use of public assemblages was referred to the committee on fire and water.

An ordinance from the committee on fire and water for the improvement of Pine street between Fourth and Sixth to be completed by Aug 1 1876 was read third time by title and passed.

An ordinance authorizing the lease of block 122 for a flower garden to [illegible] G Pfunder was amended by making the lease for three instead of five years, read third time and passed.

The ordinance introduced by Councilman Besser making an appropriation of $171 [illegible] to indemnify certain persons for labor and material furnished in moving a house from the City Park in 1873, was read third time by title and passed.

Councilman Besser by unanimous consent, introduced an ordinance to prohibit corporations or persons from collecting tolls on any street, referred to the committee on ways and means.

The following was introduced by Councilman Besser and adopted:

Resolved That the mayor and committee on ways and means be authorized to act in conjunction with the committee appointed by the citizens of this city to extend invitations to the different towns and the people at large, of Oregon, Washington and Idaho Territories, that are desirous to participate in the Centennial celebration to be held in this city July 4, 1876.

AUTHORIZATIONS

Resolution authorizing the committee on fire and water to expend $42 for blue vitriol for the Fire Department was adopted.

Resolution authorizing the committee on streets and public property to expend not to exceed $40 for the erection of a lamp post and lamp on west Park street, adopted. Adjourned.

NOTES FROM SALEM.

SOCIAL, PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE

Our regular correspondent under date of March 1st sends the following:

A A McCully and family returned home from San Francisco last evening.

King Hibbard, county assessor will commence his duties for the centennial year at once.

A little son of R A Pratt was quite seriously scalded by turning a kettle of boiling hot water on himself.

Sam Church of this city, — at present a student of the Oakland military school, has been promoted to a 2d lieutenancy.

M J Rhawl the well known plumber, has returned from San Francisco with the necessary apparatus for completing his contract on the State house.

Bertie, son of Mr and Mrs G P Terrell of this city died last evening after a brief, although painful attack, of the erysipelas and typhoid fever combined.

THE FIRST BOAT — Passengers leaving here Friday morning (March 3d) will connect with the steamer *Owyhee* for Wallula. The traveling public will bear this in mind.

In your peregrination about town don't fail to stop at Fishel & Roberts and see the elegant stock of goods already made up. This firm can give you the best satisfaction, beyond a doubt.

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Wright & Sherry of the Centennial (everything is Centennial now), do a rushing business.

Mrs Dr B A Owens of this city, who has a large and increasing practice and has been so successful in treating chronic rheumatism and diseases of women and children was called to Salem yesterday to attend a most difficult case upon which the best medical talent in Salem had been previously employed. Dr Owens' reputation for the great relief she has given to the afflicted and suffering has extended entirely over the State, and patients from all parts come to Portland to seek her counsel and avail themselves of her Medicated Vapor Baths.

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Friday evenings the boys have skates free. 25 cents admission.

Dr Wightman will be at the Occidental Hotel, Seattle, for a few days on or about 2d of March. Persons desiring relief and positive cure of Hemorrhoid or Piles and Fistula in ano will please call on him. Well known references in Salem, Portland and Olympia. Ad in DAILY and WEEKLY OREGONIAN of 2d and 3d week in February.

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Samaritan Lodge No 2, I. O. O. F. — Meets every Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock, in Odd Fellows Temple, corner of First and Alder streets. Members of the Order are invited to attend. By order of N G

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SCHOOL TAXES

FOR THE YEAR 1875 MUST BE PAID ON OR before the first day of March. I will collect the same by levy and sale of property. I am now taking the census of the School District and will be in my office from 3 to 5 P M each day.

GEO W MURRAY,

Clerk of School District No 1

Portland Feb 9 1876

SEATTLE ITEMS.

Our regular correspondent writes as follows under date of Feb 23:

The Lewis Players after performing in this place five or six nights went down the Sound and to Victoria last Monday morning.

The management of the gift concert lottery which draws on the 1st of April next and in which the capital prize is $1000 gold coin has succeeded in disposing of every large per cent of the tickets. [illegible] that the drawing will take place on the advertised day.

The bark B[illegible] which [illegible] month ago at Useless Bay has at last been raised and towed to this city where she now lies preparatory to [illegible] when the full extent of her injuries will be ascertained. She has not a single [illegible] mainmast [illegible] and her mizzen topmast broken short off.

The barkentine [illegible] reached here last night [illegible] San Francisco. The bark *Gem of the Ocean* sailed for San Francisco last Sunday with Seattle coal. The schooner *W H Meyer* sailed for San Francisco with coal and lumber on last Saturday. The ship *El Capitan* will [illegible] three days for San Francisco with Seattle coal. The steamship *City of Panama* is expected here some time this evening.

Our people are promised some good music on next Thursday and Friday evenings by the members of the Baptist choir in aid of the church building of that denomination in this place. The church was very materially injured by the heavy gale of last December and in this manner will funds be raised to meet expenses caused by that damage. The Misses Bell well known here as most excellent musicians and charming singers will be assisted by several good vocalists of this place in this entertainment. The merit of the effort, aside from the known talent of the participants should fill the building with an appreciative audience.

The fact that the efforts made in Congress to cede some of the most valuable and wealthy portions of Washington Territory to the State of Oregon have practically failed of success is a matter of congratulation to every one in Seattle who has the interests of the place at heart. Should that portion of Eastern Washington be taken from us it would we think delay the building of the Seattle and Walla Walla railroad by at least a dozen years while at present every indication points to its early completion. It would be generally regarded as a very unfortunate result not only to this particular district and enterprise but would materially affect the interests of entire Western Washington.

Val Wildman who was in Portland some time since engaged in the Vanity Fair business is in partnership with B Crosson of Seattle and is running such an occupation here. They do a rushing business are authorized, by conformity to the laws of the last legislature regulating lotteries — that is one tenth of their net profits go toward constructing a good wagon road across the mountains to the Walla Walla country. Should all the money received from these various sources be economically expended on the road, there will be an ample sum to complete and place in excellent condition a highway which will prove of great importance to the people at both ends of the same.

MONTHLY WEATHER REPORT.

WAR DEPARTMENT, SIGNAL SERVICE U S ARMY DIVISION OF TELEGRAMS AND REPORTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF COMMERCE AND AGRICULTURE.

Table showing the Daily and Monthly Means of Barometer and Thermometer Monthly Velocity of Wind and amount of Rainfall with the Prevailing Direction of Wind for the month of February 1876

Date 1876		Mean Daily Barometer	Mean Daily Thermometer	Mean Daily Humidity	Rain fall or Melted Snow in inches	Prevailing direction of Wind	Remarks
Feb	1	30.315	48.0	73	15	S	Rain
"	2	30.438	44.3	70		S	Cloudy
"	3	30.220	47.2	69		S	Cloudy
"	4	29.905	45.8	77	58	SW	Rain
"	5	30.095	42.0	78	38	SW	Fair, rain
"	6	29.960	42.5	80	13	S	Rain
"	7	29.572	44.0	81	95	S	Rain
"	8	29.402	43.5	84	10	N	Rain
"	9	29.829	40.5	65	17	W	Rain
"	10	29.665	41.5	83	51	S	Sno a rain
"	11	29.727	41.7	81	80	SW	Rain
"	12	30.150	43.5	83	78	S	Rain
"	13	30.268	51.0	81	[illegible]	S	Rain
"	14	30.433	50.5	71	10	W	Rain
"	15	30.671	47.0	70		S	Clear
"	16	30.36[illegible]	46.3	73		N	Fair
"	17	30.490	46.0	82	11	N	Fair, rain
"	18	30.377	43.2	77		W	Fair
"	19	30.341	43.0	78	[illegible]	NW	Rain
"	20	30.189	46.5	79	[illegible]	S	Rain
"	21	30.171	50.0	82		SE	Cloudy
"	22	30.179	49.5	79		S	Fair
"	23	29.931	[illegible]3.0	78	[illegible]	S	Rain
"	24	29.791	43.8	81	1 33	S	Rain
"	25	29.918	41.5	77	30	S	Rain
"	26	29.388	42.0	78	[illegible]	S	Fair, rain
"	27	29.780	42.4	65		NW	Fair
"	28	29.797	42.1	7[illegible]		S	Clear
"	29	29.849	41.2	86	30	S	Rain
Mly mn		30.078	46.16	77.6			

Highest barometer 30.610 on 16th — No Auroras 0

Lowest barometer, 29.431 on 7th — No of Solar Halos 0

Monthly range of barometer 1.179 — No of Lunar Halos 0

Highest temperature 59° on 23d and 24d

Lowest temperature 32° on 27th

Monthly range of temperature 27°

Greatest daily range of temperature, 21° on 16th

Mean of maximum temperature 1[illegible]8

Mean of minimum temperature 38° 9

Mean daily range of temperature 17°

Total rainfall or melted snow 7.70 inches

Prevailing wind south

Total number of miles traveled [illegible]67

Maximum velocity of wind [illegible]0 miles per hour on the 7th

Number of cloudy days other than those on which rain fell [illegible]

Number of days on which rain or snow fell 20

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Sergeant Signal Service U S A

Portland March 1 1876

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HENRY A. OXER,

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FETISHISM

Fetishism, or the attempt to control external phenomena by witchcraft, though the lowest state of religious conception, yet in its primary form of a sympathy or identity existing between an original and its image manifests some degree of intellectual advancement. For the idea of vicarious or representative influence that if you wish to injure a man you can do so by an injury to a bit of his clothing or a lock of his hair is so far as it goes a spiritual idea, pre-supposing notions about the interdependence of nature and as far as possible removed from what we understand by mere materialism. Materialism indeed is one of the latest growths of the human mind while spiritualism is one of its earliest. For, to a savage, everything that exists lives and feels like himself, and the unseen spirits that surround and affect him are as the motes in a sunbeam for variety and number. Yet the fetish mode of thought is undoubtedly a low, and, to us, an absurd one. Burnings in effigy may probably be traced to it, and the stories so common in the annals of witchcraft of wax en images stuck with pins or burned, in order to injure the persons they represented, undoubtedly belong to it. In Sweden there are still cunning men who can strike out a thief's eye by cutting a human figure on the bark of a tree and driving nails or arrows into the representative eye, and the Finns are said to this day to shoot in the water at images of their absent enemies. In Suffolk in the last century, if an animal was thought to be bewitched, it was burned over a large fire under the idea that as it consumed away the author of its bewitchment would consume away too. In Anglesley it is still believed that the name of a person inscribed on a pipkin containing a live frog stuck full of pins, will injuriously affect the bearer of the name. And there are a numerous set of popular traditions which clearly relate to the same state of thought. There is a feeling so wide that it may be called European, that cut hair should always be burned—never thrown away, the reason given in France, in the Netherlands, in Denmark, and near Saalfield, in Germany being that its discovery by a witch would subject its owner to sorcery, that generally given in England, and also in Swabia, being that if a bird took any of it for its nest the bearer would suffer from headache or lose the rest of his hair. A similar idea prevails about teeth, all over England children are taught to throw extracted teeth into the fire, lest a dog by swallowing them should induce toothache. So with the nail that has scratched you, or the knife that has cut you—keep the nail or knife free from rust, and the wound will not fester. Again, fetishism lies at the root of most popular charms for certain complaints. The remedies for warts, for instance, are all vicarious. Both at home and abroad the usual method is to rub a black snail on the wart and then to hang it on a hedge, trusting to the sympathetic decay of wart and snail. But a piece of stolen raw meat, a stalk of wheat or a hair with as many knots in them as there are warts on the hand, or two apple halves tied together, will, if applied to the part and then buried, cause effectual relief. The essential thing is to insure the decay of the representative object. In Somersetshire a good ague cure is to shut up a large black spider in a box and leave it to perish, that spider and ague may disappear together. In many places it is thought that the whooping cough may be transferred to a hairy caterpillar, tied in a bag round the neck; as the insect dies the cough will go. And in Devonshire some of the patient's hair is given to a dog between two slices of buttered bread, that the dog may take the hair and cough together, while in Sunderland the head is shaved and the hair (risking, we must suppose, a headache) left on a bush for the birds to carry off, that the cough itself may pass to them. But all such practices are but little removed from those actually existent among the lowest savages. New Zealanders, for instance, believe that men are subjected to *makuta*, or witchcraft, through their food or anything belonging to them being so treated as to insure the rage of their Atua. And Sir John Lubbock, speaking of modern savages, uses words which equally apply to, and throw remarkable light upon, some traditions we have mentioned: "A mysterious connection is supposed to exist between a cut lock of hair and the person to whom it belongs. In various parts of the world the sorcerer gets clippings of the hair of his enemy, parings of his nails or leavings of his food, convinced that whatever evil is done to these will react on their former owner. Even a piece of clothing, or the ground on which a man has trodden, will answer the purpose, and among some tribes the mere knowledge of a person's name is supposed to give a mysterious power."—*Cornhill Magazine*

REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

A Republican State Convention is hereby called to convene in the city of Portland, Wednesday, May 3d, 1876, at 11 o'clock A. M., to select six delegates to the National Republican Convention, candidates for judges of the supreme court in the second, third and fifth judicial districts, for prosecuting attorneys for the several judicial districts three presidential electors, and a candidate for representative in congress, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the convention

It is recommended that primary and county conventions in the several counties be held as follows: Primary conventions on Wednesday, April 19th, and county conventions on Wednesday, April 26th, or at such other times as the county committees may appoint

The following is the apportionment of delegates in the said convention upon the basis of the Republican vote for representative in congress in 1875:

Baker	8	Linn	10
Benton	6	Marion	13
Clackamas	6	Multnomah	15
Clatsop	3	Polk	1
Columbia	1	Tillamook	2
Coos	5	Union	3
Curry	2	Umatilla	4
Douglas	7	Wasco	3
Grant	3	Washington	4
Jackson	4	Yamhill	8
Josephine	2		
Lake	2	Total	11
Lane	7		

In making this call for a Republican State Convention the State Central Committee realize the fact that too much importance cannot be attached to preliminary operations. This being a government of the people by the people, for the people the agents or officers of the government should be in accord with the people. According to the general accepted plan of selecting candidates, the first steps are taken in our primary, county and State conventions. These form the ground work of political organization upon which the whole superstructure must stand or fall. If honest men desire honest officials is it asking too much that they lay aside for a day all other business affairs and devote the time necessary to select proper persons to attend county and State conventions?

In view of these considerations and of the important interests at stake we earnestly appeal to all legal voters who are in sympathy with the *principles* of the Republican party regardless of personal likes and dislikes to rally at the primaries and see to it that none but true men are entrusted with the business of preparing for the coming political campaign. Select men who are not only true themselves in the broadest sense of that term but men of *discernment* who can and will choose wisely for the good of the people in defiance of "rings" and cliques

It is unnecessary at this time to reiterate in this call the principles of the Republican party its glorious record is still fresh in the memory of an enlightened public. It is sound upon all the great principles affecting our national existence. It is the party of progress and development. It exposes corruption wherever found and inflicts punishment upon conspirators, fearful and sudden, without respect of person or position. It favors the universal enlightenment of the people without trammel of creed or but and its banner is found in the van leading on the hosts of reformers in all that tends to higher civilization and enlarged freedom

I S SCOTT, Chairman

J. C. MORELAND, Secretary *pro tem.*

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

WEDNESDAY EVENING March 1 1876

Gold in New York 114 ¼

Legal Tenders in Portland—buying 8 selling 88 ¼

Coin Exchange on San Francisco ¼ per cent

Currency Exchange on San Francisco ½ per cent premium

Coin Exchange on New York ¾ per cent premium

Telegraphic transfers on New York 1 per cent premium

Currency Exchange on New York ½ per cent premium

Gold Bars 800 par

There are but few facilities worthy of special notice in financial or trade circles. While certain indications are observed at this time that the future of business in the local market points to at least a fair amount of activity during the spring months and with a large surplus of domestic produce in the country available for export business will hold well up into the summer and though there is not likely to be any season of peculiar briskness in trade affairs the aggregate of transactions will be rather above than below the *average*

To-day collections have been made generally in the local market without any serious difficulty. The effort to require a discount of 4 per cent discount on silver in sums over $ was not generally made collectors taking *as before more or less* silver on all bills and showing the utmost accommodation possible in the matter. Collections to-day developing the fact that there is far from a plethora in our local money market even of silver coin may have induced a good many business men to disregard the rule of a discount on silver

Wheat Exports.

Since the 1st of February the shipments of wheat to Europe from Oregon have been as follows

Name and Nationality of Vessel	*Bu Wheat*	*Value*
British ship Dovenby	17 904	$ 17 [illegible]
bark Santon	27 [illegible]	30 [illegible]
ship Renfrewshire	[illegible]	[illegible]
ship City of Tanjore	41 [illegible]	[illegible]
bark Cameo	11 731	[illegible]
ship Valparaiso	39 [illegible]	[illegible]
ship Prince Umberto	[illegible] 160	8 6
ship John Rennie	[illegible]	[illegible]
ship Hannibal	30 7 [illegible]	[illegible]
Total	199 123	$ 9 46

Besides the above the Br ship Dovenby carried 8 652 barrels flour and the Br ship Ophelia 17 707 barrels or a total of flour shipments to Europe of 26 357 bbls. There were also shipped hence in February to San Francisco 2 030 bbls flour and 1 561 bushels wheat and 820 bbls flour to Northern ports. Reckoning the flour as so much wheat the total breadstuffs exported in February were equivalent to 524 228 bushels about as large a quantity as was ever cleared from Oregon ports in a single month

Crops and Markets.

The few days of pleasant weather experienced recently it is reported have *been most diligently* improved in the Wallamet valley by the farmers who began to fear an unusually short wheat crop next harvest, there having been but little weather which would allow of seeding since the harvest of 1875. Three weeks ago some good judges of such things estimated that but little more than one fourth the acreage of last year had been sowed up to the 1st of February and the same parties claimed that without a very favorable spring the State would have almost no wheat at all to ship next harvest year. While we think these estimates were made from a desponding standpoint of the situation we yet incline to the belief that the surplus in Oregon will fall far below what it was the current shipping season. The present indications are that a great deal of planting will be done this *spring, and should the season be a good one for the* spring sown grain, the surplus will probably be equal to that of 1874.

Prices for wheat and flour as well as other domestic products in the local market so far during the week have fluctuated but little. The expected early arrival of several vessels might inflate wheat quotations somewhat were not shippers already very large holders. They inform us in fact that they have made it a general rule to secure cargoes before taking up a vessel this season, and we know of one firm which have now in sight enough wheat to load four medium sized vessels. Other firms also have large amounts on hand, and hence notwithstanding a very considerable fleet of ships is expected here in the next four weeks the market is quiet at quotations

Advices from Liverpool continue to show a declining tendency in the English market and there are but few buyers here who will pay over our maximum quotations for best lots

Shipping Intelligence.

The steamship Oriflamme sailed for San Francisco at 5 o clock this afternoon

The Br ship Orifiamma was hauled up to Pacific wharf this forenoon, where she will take on a cargo of wheat

The barkentine Tom O'Shanter will come up to this city and load wheat for San Francisco

The steamship Gussie Telfair sailed from Victoria on Tuesday with a fair freight and large passenger list for Fort Wrangel

The steamship California, from Sitka and intermediate ports will be due here in a day or two

Home Produce Market.

WHEAT—For fair average lots $1 6[illegible]@$1 6 per cental sacked

FLOUR—Quotable best brands $5 00 ℔ bbl good outside and country brands, $4 75 fine and superfine, $4 00@4 25

OATS—Surprise 70c per bushel common 60c black, 62½c

BARLEY—Choice brewing $1 35@1 40 feed $1 25 @1 30 ℔ cwt.

MILL FEED—Bran $22 ℔ ton shorts, $30 chopped, middlings, etc. $37 50@40; oil cake meal, $40

DAIRY PRODUCTS—Butter, solid 18@20c ℔ lb brine, 20@23c roll, 20@22c fancy dairy 35@40c cheese quotable at 18@20 ℔ lb

EGGS—Quotable at 20@25c ℔ dozen

CHICKENS—Full grown $3 50@4 00 ℔ doz

POTATOES—Common 60@70c choice 75c ℔ bushel

ONIONS—As to quality $1 25@1 75 ℔ 100 lbs

HAY—Choice timothy baled $16@18 loose $15 wild $10

DRIED APPLES—In sacks 7c in kegs 7½c

RIPE FRUITS—Apples packed for shipping Winesaps, $1 25, Yellow Newtowns and Pippins $1 50@1 75, other varieties $1@1 25 ℔ box pears $1 50@2

FRESH MEATS—Beef dressed [illegible] ℔ lb on foot 1½@2½c dressed hogs [illegible] ℔ lb mutton sheep $2 50@3 ℔ head

LARD—Oregon made fresh in tins 13c ℔ lb in kegs 14c

DRIED PLUMS—With pits 8c pitless 14@17c ℔ lb

BACON—Hams choice 16@17c common to good [illegible] sides 11@12c shoulders 8c

HIDES AND FURS—We quote 1st selected hides at 13c ℔ lb culls ⅓ off, green 6@6½ elk 10@15c ℔ lb deer 18@30c ℔ lb for dried and [illegible] each green mink skins $1 50 each otter $1@5 each beaver $1@1 25

EXPORTS

Per Br ship Hannibal to Queenstown or Cork for orders dispatched by the Salem Flouring Mills Co Feb 29th—30 746 bush wheat, valued at $64 178

Per Am steamship Oriflamme for San Francisco dispatched by the O S N Co March 1st 1 4 5 sks flour, 70 sks oats 2 cs beef [illegible] bacon [illegible] bbls salmon 3 bbls pigs feet [illegible] bxs apples 27 bxs [illegible] sks and 10 hf bbls dried apples 30 bxs dried pears 1 bx sound [illegible] bbls dried plums 841 sks onions 187 sks potatoes, 184 bxs eggs 3 bales hops [illegible] empty arboys 1 horse 10 tons iron 2 casks [illegible] bales [illegible] 4 bales sheep skins 1 bale fur skins [illegible] dry elk hides 10 dry hides 68 green hides and pkgs miscellaneous wares

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[illegible] without means will be furnished Hacks [illegible]erals for the next thirty days

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THOMAS CROSS

Salem Nov 9 1875 n9d&w3m

Ordinance No. 1731.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORISING A DEVIATION from the plan for improving that part of Pine street lying between Fourth street and the Willamette river by putting in a sewer

The City of Portland does ordain as follows

Section 1 Due notice thereof having been given the Committee on Streets and Public Property are hereby authorized to deviate from and modify the contract heretofore entered into for laying a pipe sewer in Pine street under the provisions of Ordinance No 1670 entitled An Ordinance to provide for the time and manner of improving that part of Pine street lying between Fourth street and the Willamette river by putting in a sewer at the expense of the property benefited so as to provide for constructing said sewer from the *west line of Second* street to the west line of Fourth street of Terra Cotta pipe twelve inches in diameter instead of *nine inches as* by said ordinance provided so as to admit of an extension of said sewer to the west line of Sixth street"

Section 2 Said Committee are hereby authorized to make such regulations as to the manner of doing said work and the time of completion as they may deem to be for the best interest of all concerned

Passed the Common Council February 16 1876

W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk

Approved February 18 1876

J A CHAPMAN
Mayor

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South Fourth Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the assessment made by Ordinance No 1732 for the improvement of South Fourth street in the manner provided by Ordinances No 1704 and 1712 on each of the following described lots fronting upon that part of South Fourth street lying between Lincoln and Caruthers streets as well as those liable for a proportionate share of improving the intersections of streets running at right angles therewith and remaining unpaid at this date, is due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer in United States gold and silver coin and *unless paid within fifteen days* from the date hereof the Common Council will order warrants issued for the collection thereof:

Block	Lot	Owner	Assessm t
19	5 6 7 8	J P Vansant	$100 00
18	8	Mrs S A Joyce	[illegible] 01
	6	J H Lewis	7 08
	5	J K Wall	28 07
17	7 8	Arthur Fable	131 14
	1 2 3 4	Mrs Minerva Carter	121 83
23	1	E J W Stemme	66 71
	3 4	Estate of C F Wiegand	55 77
14	1 F 1 2	S A Stansbury	85 06
	W ½ 1	L Hellbock	7 02
	4	R L Darling	20 87
			$676 15

By order of the Common Council

W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk

February 18 1876 fe20d10t

NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE THAT ON THE twenty fifth day of February A D 1876 a warrant in bankruptcy was issued against the estate of Thomas Frazer of the city of Portland, in the county of Multnomah and State of Oregon who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition that the payment of any debts and delivery of any property belonging to such bankrupt to him or for his use and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law that a meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt to prove their debts and to choose one or more assignees of his estate will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at Room No 8 in Dekum's Building *Portland Oregon* before H H Northup Register on the tenth day of March A D 1876 at 10 o clock A M

DANIEL J MALARKEY
U S Marshal as Messenger

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State Treasurer's Third Notice.

TREASURER'S OFFICE
Salem Feb 3 1876

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE are funds in the Treasury for the payment of the following State Warrants issued in 18[illegible] to wit Nos 118 [illegible]

Interest on the above warrants will cease from this date

All the [illegible] Warrants Nos [illegible] and [illegible] that they were altered [illegible] that the [illegible] ceased thereon at [illegible]

A H BROWN
State Treasurer

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NOTICE IN BANKRUPTCY.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Oregon. In Bankruptcy—In the matter of James Allen Bankrupt. United States of America District of Oregon ss. A warrant in Bankruptcy has been issued by said Court against the estate of James Allen of the county of Polk of the State of Oregon, in said District, who has been duly adjudged bankrupt upon petition of his creditors and the payment of any debts or the delivery of any property belonging to said bankrupt to him or to his use and the transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law. A meeting of the creditors of said bankrupt to prove their debts and choose one or more Assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy to be holden at Portland, in said District, on the third day of March A D, 1876 at 10 o clock A M at the office of H H Northup (room No 8 Dekum's Building) Register in Bankruptcy of said Court

DANIEL J MALARKEY
U S Marshal as Messenger

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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE CO partnership heretofore existing between James G Fairfowl and John A Brown, Stevedores under the firm name of Fairfowl & Brown has been dissolved and that I will not be responsible in any manner for any debts contracted by John A Brown in the name of said firm or otherwise

fe22d2w JAMES G FAIRFOWL

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE CO partnership heretofore existing between J G Fairfowl and J A Brown under the firm name of Fairfowl & Brown has been mutually dissolved and that I will not be responsible in any manner for any debt hereafter contracted by James G Fairfowl in the name of said firm or otherwise

J A BROWN

Portland Feb 21 1876

Notice to Merchants and Shipmasters.

I HAVE THIS DAY SOLD ONE HALF INTEREST in my business to Capt J A Brown late master of barkentine J A Falkinburg

THOS F TILDEN

Referring to the above the firm of TILDEN & BROWN are now prepared to carry on the business of Stevedores and Riggers. All business entrusted to our care satisfaction guaranteed

THOS F TILDEN
Capt J A BROWN

Portland Feb 21 1876

Morrison Street

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMmon Council of the City of Portland propose to improve that part of Morrison street lying between the west line of Second street and the east line of Fifth street by laying side and crosswalks where necessary a plank roadway sixteen feet in width and planking its intersection with Third street full width

W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk

February 18 1876 fe19d10

Yamhill Street

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMmon Council of the City of Portland propose to improve that part of Yamhill street lying between the west line of First street and the east line of Fourth street by laying sidewalks and crosswalks where necessary a plank roadway sixteen feet in width and planking its intersection with Third street full width

W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk

February 18 1876 fe19d10t

$50 to $5,000 Invested in Stock Privileges pays large profits on limited liability. Speculators should call or write for our 72 page book Men and Idioms of Wall street and Weekly Review of Wall street. Address JOHN HICKLING & CO Bankers and Sent Free, Brokers, 72 Broadway, N Y. us8dly

RAILROADS.

Oregon & California R. R. Co

To Take Effect Sunday, Aug 2d, 1874, at 4 A M.

DAILY (EXCEPT SUNDAY)
As follows

PORTLAND AND ROSEBURG

LEAVE		ARRIVE	
Portland	7 30 A M	Roseburg	7 10 P
Roseburg	[illegible] 00 A M	Portland	4 15 P

ALBANY EXPRESS TRAIN.

DAILY (EXCEPT SUNDAYS)
As follows

LEAVE		ARRIVE	
Portland	4 50 P M	Albany	8 25 P. M.
Albany	5 00 A M	Portland	10 05 A. M.

FREIGHT TRAINS

DAILY (EXCEPT SUNDAYS) AS FOLLOWS

LEAVE		ARRIVE	
Portland	[illegible] A M	Junction	6 00 P M
Junction	[illegible] A M	Portland	5 15 P. M

The Oregon and California Railroad Ferry makes connection with all Regular Trains

Close connections are made at ROSEBURG with the Stages of the Oregon and California Stage Company

Tickets for Sale to all the principal points in California and the East at Company's Office,

Cor. F and Front Sts., at Ferry Landing

PORTLAND

Storage will be charged on freight remaining in Warehouse over 24 hours

Freight will not be received for shipment after 5 o clock P M

J BRANDT Jr, Gen l Sup't.

E P ROGERS
Gen l Freight and Passenger Agent.

Northern Pacific Railroad.

PACIFIC DIVISION

KALAMA TO TACOMA.

DAILY (SUNDAYS EXCEPTED)

LEAVE		ARRIVE	
Kalama	11 00 A M	Tacoma	5 00 P M
Tacoma	7 [illegible] A M	Kalama	12 30 P M

CONNECTIONS

At Kalama with O S N Co s Boats for all points on Columbia River

At Tenino with stage for Olympia.

At Tacoma with Steamers for Seattle Olympia and all other points on Puget Sound

On Saturday and Wednesday at 6 A M with steamers for Port Townsend Victoria Nanaimo New Westminster and Fraser River

On the 1st and 16th of each month for SAN FRANCISCO with Pacific Mail Steamship Co s first class Iron Screw Steamship

CITY OF PANAMA.

Through fare from Portland to San Francisco

Cabin $45 00 | Steerage $13 00

Through Tickets for sale at the office of the O S N Co Portland Or

J. W. SPRAGUE,
General Superintendent.

H W FAIRWEATHER
General Ticket Agent

CITY ADVERTISEMENTS.

Ordinance No. 1729.

AN ORDINANCE DEFINING THE DUTIES OF the Auditor and Clerk of the city of Portland, and fixing the amount of his bond and compensation

The City of Portland does ordain as follows

Section 1 The duties of the Auditor and Clerk of the City of Portland are such as are prescribed by the city charter and by ordinance

Section 2 The Auditor's office shall be kept open on the usual business days from 9 A M until 4 o clock P M

Section 3 The Auditor shall keep proper records and books of accounts showing all his doings as Auditor and Clerk and shall keep and preserve all books papers and documents not properly in the custody of any other officer of the city

Section 4 The Auditor and Clerk shall give a bond with good and sufficient sureties, to be approved by the Mayor in the sum of twenty five thousand dollars conditioned for the faithful discharge of the duties of his office. The Mayor is hereby made the custodian of said bond

Section 5 The salary of the Auditor and Clerk shall be twenty four hundred dollars per annum to date from the *first day of January*, 1876, and be payable monthly

Section 6 Ordinance No 188 entitled "An Ordinance prescribing certain duties of the Auditor and Clerk of the City of Portland and fixing his salary and Ordinances amending the same and Ordinance No 1005 entitled An Ordinance requiring a bond from the Auditor and Clerk of the city of Portland are hereby repealed

Passed the Common Council February 16 1876

W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk

Approved February 18, 1876

J A CHAPMAN,
Mayor

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Ordinance No. 1730.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE OREgon Central Railroad Co to lay a side track in South Fourth street

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1 The Oregon Central Railroad Co are hereby authorized to lay a rail track in South Fourth street from *Block No 19 Caruthers Addition* to connect with the main line of their road at a point not further south than the south side line of Grant street under the conditions and restrictions hereinafter named

Section 2 Said company shall not obstruct said street or any part thereof by depositing freight of any kind thereon or allow cars to stand upon said track so as to impede or prevent travel along Grant or Lincoln streets or the easterly portion of South Fourth street and shall keep that portion of South Fourth street adjacent to said block in good repair *Provided* That the Common Council may at any time order said track removed in which case said Company shall remove the same and place the street in good condition

Section 3 Ordinance No 1457 entitled "An Ordinance granting to E H Towler the right of way to lay a railway track in South Fourth street, is hereby repealed

Passed the Common Council February 16 1876

W S CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk

Approved February 18 1876

J A CHAPMAN
Mayor

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Ordinance No. 1734.

AN ORDINANCE TO PREVENT THE INTROduction of Liquor into the City Jail

The City of Portland does ordain as follows

Section 1 No person shall introduce or take into the city jail or deliver to any prisoner confined therein any wine spirituous or malt liquor except by permission of the Chief of Police or upon the prescription of a practising physician

Section 2 Any person violating the provisions of this ordinance shall upon conviction before the police judge be fined not less than five nor more than fifty dollars or imprisonment in said jail not less than three nor more than twenty days

Passed the Common Council February 16 1876

W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk

Approved February 18 1876

J A CHAPMAN,
Mayor

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Ordinance No 1735.

AN ORDINANCE MAKING APPROPRIATIONS out of the General Fund

The City of Portland does ordain as follows

Section 1 The following sums are hereby appropriated out of the General Fund to the several objects hereinafter named to be expended under the provisions of Ordinance No 1151 [illegible] such other ordinances as the Common Council may by ordinance provide [illegible]

For pay of City Assessor nine hundred and ninety two dollars

For chain bearers and other assistants to the City Surveyor one thousand dollars

For improvement of streets in front of public property [illegible] thousand dollars

For grading, setting out trees repairs and other improvements to the public grounds one thousand dollars

For [illegible] and [illegible] cleaning streets [illegible] and the removal of nuisances two hundred and fifty dollars

For [illegible] public property repairs to [illegible] expenses of the [illegible] hundred dollars

For [illegible] superintendent of streets two hundred dollars

For [illegible] boxes and covers fifty dollars

For expenses of [illegible] including light [illegible] twelve hundred dollars

For [illegible] in city jail seventeen hundred dollars

For [illegible] dogs three hundred and fifty dollars

For the prevention and suppression of infectious and contagious diseases as provided by Ordinance No [illegible] dollars

For [illegible] rooms and offices [illegible] rent fuel light furniture repair [illegible] fifteen hundred dollars

For stationery and printing seven hundred dollars

For advertising five hundred dollars

For [illegible] three hundred dollars

For [illegible] expressage and incidentals not otherwise provided for [illegible] sixty dollars

Section 2 The unexpended balances of all appropriations made out of the General Fund prior to January 1 1876 are hereby [illegible] to the General Fund

Passed the Common Council February 16 1876

W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk

Approved February 18 1876

J A CHAPMAN
Mayor

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Ordinance No 1736

AN ORDINANCE MAKING AN APPROPRIATION out of the [illegible]

[illegible]

Passed the Common Council February 16 1876

W S CALDWELL
Auditor and Clerk

Approved February 18 1876

J A CHAPMAN
Mayor

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OCEAN STEAMERS.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO, DIRECT.

CARRYING U. S. MAILS.

THE OREGON STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S Steamer

AJAX,

FRED BOLLES Commander

Will leave Portland Warehouse and Dock Company's Wharf at Foot of F street, for the above port

THURSDAY, MARCH 9, 1876,
At 2 o'clock P M

For Freight or Passage apply at the Office of the Company corner F and Front streets
GEO W WEIDLER Agent.

For PORT TOWNSEND, VICTORIA, NANAIMO, FORT WRANGLE and SITKA.

CARRYING U. S. MAILS.

THE OREGON STEAMSHIP CO'S Steam Propeller

CALIFORNIA,

JOHN HAYES Commander,

Will leave Portland Warehouse and Dock Company's Wharf at foot of F street, for the above ports,

TUESDAY, MARCH 7, 1876,
At 5 o clock P M

For Freight or Passage apply at the Office of the Company, corner of F and Front streets
GEO W WEIDLER, Agent,

PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP CO.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.
VIA TACOMA

THE FIRST CLASS IRON STEAMSHIP

CITY OF PANAMA.

Passengers for San Francisco via Victoria will leave Portland per steamer Emma Hayward on WEDNESDAY, MARCH 1, AT 6 A. M.

THROUGH FARE from Portland to San Francisco

Cabin $25 00 | Steerage $13 00

Tickets for sale at Office Oregon Steam Navigation Company, corner Front and Ash streets up stairs

Through Tickets sold to China, Sandwich Islands, Australia New Zealand, Panama and New York

RIVER STEAMERS.

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER JAN. 31ST until further notice the Steamer E. N. COOKE will leave her dock foot of F street, every day (Sundays excepted), at 2:30 P M for Oregon City

Passengers for Dayton and intermediate points will take cars at Portland at 7:30, connecting at Canemah on Monday and Thursday of each week.

Rates of Freight Greatly Reduced.

All freights delivered in Portland free of drayage.

Freight forwarded to Astoria with dispatch.

J. D BILES Agent.

THE WILLAMETTE

Transportation and Locks Co's

STEAMERS leave PORTLAND from the Central Wharf, between Washington and Alder streets, as follows:

FOR DAYTON—Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 7 A. M.

FOR ALBANY—Monday, Tuesday Thursday and Friday, at 6 A. M

FOR CORVALLIS and HARRISBURG—Monday and Thursday, at 6 A. M.

For Lightering and Towing of Vessels

Between Portland and Astoria apply at the office of the Company, near corner of Front and Washington streets.

FRANK T DODGE. Agent.

Oregon Steam Navigation Co.'s

PASSENGER SCHEDULE.

PASSENGERS LEAVE PORTLAND FOR DALLES Daily, (except Sunday) at 5 o'clock A M

FOR KALAMA and TACOMA—Daily (Sundays excepted) at 6 A. M

FOR VICTORIA—Wednesday and Saturday at 6 A M

FOR SEATTLE—Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday at 6 A M

FOR ASTORIA—Daily, (except Sunday,) at 6 A.M.

For Cathlamet, Bay View and Skomockaway—Monday, Wednesday and Friday, at 6 A M.

For Westport, Manhattan and Clifton—Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 6 A. M.

For KNAPPA—Thursday, at 6 A M

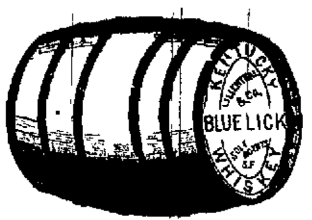
J C AINSWORTH, President.

Portland & Vancouver Packet.

THE STEAMER VANCOUVER,

JAS T. GRAY, Master,

WILL LEAVE DAILY FROM FOOT OF ALder Street for Vancouver at 2:30 P. M. Returning leave Vancouver at 8 A. M. For freight or passage apply on board. Towing done between 10.30 A. M. and 2 P. M., daily, except Sundays.



BLUE LICK WHISKEY.

HAVING BEEN APPOINTED SOLE AGENT for the above celebrated brand of Kentucky Whiskey I am in receipt of an invoice of the same, in barrels half barrels and cases, which I am prepared to offer to the trade, at jobbing rates.

H. FLECKENSTEIN,
SOLE AGENT,
Wholesale Dealer in Wines and Liquors,
No 147 First, near Taylor street.

State Treasurer's Notice.

TREASURER'S OFFICE
Salem Feb 1 1876

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE are funds in the State Treasury for the payment of the following warrants viz Nos 881 882 999 999 1001 1005 1006 1007 1009 1011 1012 1013 1016 1017 1018 1020 1021 [illegible] 1022 1023 1026 1027 1028 1032 1040 1041 1045 1046 1047 1048 1053 1061 1063 1066 1067 1068 1069 1072 1073 1074 1076 10[illegible] 1078 1079 1090 1091 1093

Interest on the above warrants will cease from this date

A H BROWN
State Treasurer

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State Treasurer's Notice.

TREASURER'S OFFICE
Salem Feb 3 1876

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THERE are funds in the State Treasury for the payment of the following warrants to wit Nos [illegible]

Interest on the above warrants will cease from this date

Also funds are on hand for the payment of warrants Nos 1011 [illegible] and 1102, of which the parties having said warrants in their possession on the 9th of January 1876 had notice on that day

A H BROWN
State Treasurer

Second Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMmon Council of the City of Portland propose to improve that part of Second street lying between the [illegible] line of A street and the south side of Taylor street by grading and laying a plank road way sixteen feet in width planking the intersections of said street with Pine, Oak, Morrison and Taylor streets full width with box gutters and new sidewalks when necessary

W S CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk

February 19, 1876 fe19d10d

SAN FRAN[illegible]

N. W. SPAU[illegible]
Saw-Smithing & [illegible]
ESTABLISHMENT,
17 and 19 Fremont street between Front and Battery,
SAN FRANCISCO.

N. W SPAULDING'S PA[illegible] inserted in circular saws. REPAIRING, in all its branches[illegible] ming, Re Toothing, Straight[illegible] CIRCULAR SAWS of all sizes[illegible] Muley Gang Buck, Butcher, [illegible] kinds together with a good [illegible] bours at lowest market rates. Cast-Steel faced PLANER Knives[illegible] ING CUTTERS always on hand, [illegible] short notice

N B.—KNAPP, BURRELL[illegible] mission Merchants, Portland, [illegible] authorized Agents for Oregon, [illegible] Orders sent through them by [illegible] wise filled at same rates as if [illegible]

AGAIN VICTOR[illegible]

For Best Billiards &[illegible]

AWARDED TO

P. LIESENE[illegible]

571 MARKET STREET[illegible]

Also the Highest Medal at the Inter[illegible] bition of Sydney, Austral[illegible]

N B.—I beg to call the attention [illegible] my highly improved Bevel [illegible] California Eliptic Pool Tables[illegible] Monitors, Pigeon Holes, and [illegible] ja3d1mip

Alterati[illegible]

To Purify the Blood [illegible] Alterative. It acts dir[illegible] blood, stimulating the[illegible] overcoming the obstr[illegible] pores of the skin, and [illegible] healthy glow to the [illegible] Pimples, Pustules, Tet[illegible] Diseases of all kinds[illegible] Affections, Tumors, [illegible] ties of complaints ari[illegible] praved or disordered [illegible] fectually eradicated by [illegible]

Scrofula in all its For[illegible] by the persistent use of[illegible] Alterative. It destroys[illegible] ous principle which orig[illegible] fula, and ultimately dri[illegible] the system. It will remo[illegible] ments of the Glands or [illegible] is a safe remedy in ev[illegible] or Sores of all kinds.

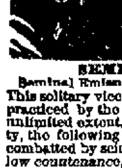
Dropsy and Dropsical Sw[illegible] effectually cured by Dr. [illegible] terative. By stimulating [illegible] of the absorbents, all w[illegible] careous depositions [illegible] carried off, toning up [illegible] the same time, by stre[illegible] digestive organs and [illegible] Liver, Kidneys, &c. to per[illegible] functions. For Dyspepsia[illegible] Complaint it has proven[illegible] and it has established [illegible] of Epilepsy. It may be [illegible] on by any one needing [illegible] to build up the system, [illegible] blood, or to restore the n[illegible] of the Secretive Organs[illegible]

T. A. DAVIS & CO., Wholesale A[illegible] Oregon.

YOUNG [illegible]

Who may be suffering from the [illegible] ful follies or indiscretion, will [illegible] themselves of this, the great[illegible] at the altar of suffering humani[illegible] NEW will guarantee to for[illegible] case of seminal weakness, or [illegible] any kind or character wh[illegible] and fails to cure. He would, [illegible] the unfortunate sufferer who [illegible] tice, that you are treading [illegible] ground when you longer del[illegible] proper remedy for your c[illegible] be in the first stage, rem[illegible] proaching the last. If you a[illegible] the last, and are suffering [illegible] fects, remember that if you [illegible] nation, the time must c[illegible] skilful physician can render [illegible] when the door of hope will [illegible] you when no angel of mercy [illegible] lief. In no case has the D[illegible] cess. Then let not despair [illegible] imagination but avail yours[illegible] results of his treatment be[illegible] yond the reach of medical [illegible] death hurries you to a prem[illegible] course of treatment $25.00. [illegible] Post Office order or Express [illegible] tion of the case. Call, or add[illegible] DR. A. S[illegible] No 11 Kearny Str[illegible]

To the Unfo[illegible]



DR. [illegible] DISP[illegible] 623 Kea[illegible] Established [illegible] ment of S[illegible] vous, such a[illegible] Stricture sy[illegible] Seminal We[illegible] Skin Dis[illegible] cured, or no[illegible]

SEMINAL WEA[illegible]

Seminal Emissions, the co[illegible] This solitary vice, or depraved [illegible] practiced by the youth of both [illegible] unlimited extent, producing w[illegible] ty, the following train of mor[illegible] combatted by scientific medical [illegible] low countenance, dark spots [illegible] the head ringing in the ears, [illegible] of leaves and rattling of ch[illegible] the loins, weakness of the [illegible] blunted intellect, loss of con[illegible] approaching strangers, a di[illegible] quaintances, disposition to [illegible] memory, hectic flushes, pimples [illegible] tions about the face, furred [illegible] coughs consumption, nightm[illegible] frequent insanity

CURED AT HO[illegible]

Persons at a distance may be [illegible] by addressing a letter to Dr. [illegible] symptoms, length of time the [illegible] and have medicines promptly [illegible] damage and curiosity, to any [illegible] with full and plain directions. [illegible] Dollars coin in registered letter [illegible] office or through Wells, Fargo & C[illegible] medicine will be forwarded [illegible] Union Address DR J [illegible] Box 1 057, [illegible]

A BOOK FOR THE [illegible]

MARRIAGE GUIDE.

[illegible]

PORTLAND [illegible]

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And over 100 Papers and P[illegible]

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[illegible]OL. XVI.—NO. 30.

EASTERN NEW[illegible]

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN]

[illegible] Meeting of Plymouth Ch[illegible]

[illegible] York March 1 Members of Ply[illegible] [illegible]ch, exclusively were admitted to th[illegible] [illegible] business meeting this evening to h[illegible] [illegible]wen answer to questions before the c[illegible] [illegible] examining committee as to the [illegible] [illegible] Beecher. A letter in reply to the inv[illegible] [illegible]dover Theological Seminary for a [illegible] [illegible] rejecting the offer was received by B[illegible] [illegible] adopted

[illegible] the moderator then called up th[illegible] [illegible] requiring Bowen to answer orally qu[illegible] [illegible] to his insinuations against the pasto[illegible] [illegible]solution by Beecher that the exa[illegible] [illegible]ttee cond uct the questions was passed [illegible] clerk of the church asked Bowen [illegible] any facts first come to your knowledge a[illegible] [illegible]oral character of your pastor?" [illegible]wen—The essential facts are already [illegible] of the examining committee. All the [illegible] do is to demand them from the com[illegible] [illegible] as the church refuses to hear what I[illegible] [illegible] hands it is mere bravado to ask mo[illegible] [illegible]lerk (in reply)—I would say we have [illegible] a single fact from Bowen [Applause [illegible] [illegible]wen here took off his overcoat, and said [illegible] before the examining committee [illegible] to convince him of Beecher's gui[illegible] [illegible] not lie and was compelled to be [illegible]ter[The consequences fall on hi[illegible] [illegible] He said it was a penalty on him fo[illegible] [illegible] confidences to a leaky vessel [Lau[illegible] [illegible]mber here called attention to the f[illegible] [illegible] was reading from a paper whereas [illegible] [illegible]ed to answer orally

[illegible]en (angrily)—I have the floor

[illegible] Member—Bowen knows that invitati[illegible] [illegible] to be compelled to answer orally" [illegible] [illegible] moved as this was probably [illegible] Bowen would be heard, he be allowed [illegible]

[illegible] interposed, and said the church [illegible] [illegible]d, and they had no judicial power [illegible] has been so long a member as Broth[illegible] [illegible] ought to have his own way. [Applau[illegible] [illegible] was then allowed to proceed. [illegible] [illegible] written statement that he knew w[illegible] [illegible] to convince him of Beecher's guilt [illegible] [illegible]sequences be what they might, and [illegible] [illegible] him and Beecher—on him for his [illegible] [illegible] pouring his confidence into a leaky [illegible] Beecher for his guilt. The church [illegible] committee compelled him, against [illegible] the reasons for his silence. He told [illegible] [illegible]sons for believing Beecher to be an [illegible] [illegible] he could tell the reasons before [illegible] [illegible]al, but would never give names. Ta[illegible] [illegible] of this the committee demanded al[illegible] particulars. He offered to go before [illegible] [illegible]al, which was refused. He then wen[illegible] [illegible] mittee, giving facts but withholding [illegible] force was used. Seeing how Mrs. [illegible] [illegible]d, they might demand eternally, [illegible] refuse

[illegible]ember here queried whether Bowen [illegible] [illegible] to give the names and facts

[illegible]wen (excitedly)—I do, and that is my [illegible] It is no benefit to me to be silent, b[illegible] [illegible] will protect those names to—

[illegible]cher—But if we will demand names [illegible]

[illegible]wen—Mr Beecher, when you have go[illegible] [illegible] your questions I will answer.

[illegible] Bowen then offered to go before Mr [illegible] [illegible]rbell and Mr S V White and give [illegible] that very moment which convinced [illegible] [illegible]er was an adulterer—the names t[illegible]

[illegible]cher objected to secrecy. Giving th[illegible] [illegible]omen so long dead left other name[illegible] [illegible]ction [Applause] He protested a[illegible] [illegible] he had no reason for it. [Applaus[illegible] V. White objected to receiving gros[illegible] [illegible] against the pastor and keeping the [illegible] [illegible]ause]

[illegible]er McKay urged that Mr Beech[illegible] [illegible] interest as any one in facts and th[illegible] [illegible] tell what he knew or take back al[illegible] [illegible]against the pastor

[illegible]rman proposed to accept Mr Bowe[illegible] [illegible], the committee to keep all names [illegible] [illegible]om Beecher

[illegible]eeting of Railway Representa[illegible]

[illegible] York, March 1—The representativ[illegible] [illegible] Baltimore & Ohio Pennsylvania Cen[illegible] [illegible]al, Hudson Michigan South, Michi[illegible] and Fort Wayne railroads met this fo[illegible] [illegible] Nicholas hotel, to decide on some [illegible] [illegible]al adjustment of freight rates for th[illegible]

[illegible]rect Cable Successfully Repa[illegible]

[illegible] steamer *Faraday* successfully repa[illegible] [illegible] cable at noon to day. The work o[illegible] [illegible] ends and making the splice occu[illegible] [illegible] one and a half hours. At 1 07 P. M., [illegible] perfect.

In Peril.

[illegible]IDENCE, March 1—The gas from a le[illegible] [illegible]ated two houses on Wickendon [illegible] [illegible], and this morning the occupants, [illegible] were found insensible. All are not [illegible] No gas was used in either of the [illegible]

[illegible] York Soft Democratic Mass M[illegible]

[illegible] York, March 1—The executive co[illegible] [illegible] of Gideon G Tucker, Richard [illegible] Hitchman, ex Speaker Maguire, [illegible] Rufus Andrews and others, [illegible] convention of Democrats at Syra[illegible] [illegible] 15th. The call includes all "strik[illegible] [illegible] upon the currency question wit[illegible] [illegible] of Ohio, Pennsylvania, Indiana, [illegible] and Southern States and who ar[illegible] [illegible]—The withdrawal of the Natio[illegible] [illegible] and the substitution therefor [illegible] 2d—A law declaring greenbacks [illegible] [illegible], and 3d—The repeal of the [illegible] [illegible] act the convention to take suc[illegible] [illegible] seem necessary.

[illegible]cher objected to star chamber pre[illegible] [illegible] tongue was not to be tied. He had [illegible] [illegible]thing as long as he cared

[illegible]wen here handed up a note to the [illegible] [illegible] would meet three gentlemen name[illegible] [illegible] facts which convinced him long [illegible] [illegible] was an adulterer

[illegible]r. Beecher—It is too bad for a ma[illegible] [illegible] years at the communion table, taki[illegible] [illegible] wine knowing I was an adulterer [A[illegible] [illegible] report of the examining commit[illegible] [illegible] Bowen with slander etc., was adopt[illegible] [illegible] of three were authorized to sum[illegible] [illegible] before them and report.

[illegible]wen was then requested to retire with [illegible] [illegible] of three

[illegible] examining committee then report[illegible] [illegible] of unchristian conduct etc., again[illegible] [illegible] the matter was referred to Messrs R [illegible] Christiansen H I Pratt E C Leco[illegible] [illegible] Belcher to report next Friday eve[illegible] [illegible] motions to expel Bowen we[illegible]

WASHINGTON CITY.

Public Debt.

[illegible]ASHINGTON March 1—Following is th[illegible] [illegible] statement issued to day: 6 per ce[illegible] [illegible] 5 per cent bonds $697,844,[illegible] [illegible] bonds $1,[illegible] 684 300 lawful money d[illegible] [illegible] matured debt $18 182 040 legal [illegible] [illegible],011,844 certificates of deposit, $38 015 [illegible] [illegible] currency $4[illegible] 120 1[illegible] coin certific[illegible] [illegible] total without interest $48[illegible] 011 [illegible] [illegible], $2,220,[illegible] total interest $30 342 0[illegible] [illegible] treasury coin $70 0[illegible] 772 curren[illegible] Special deposits held for redempti[illegible] [illegible] of deposit $38 015 000 (?) Total in[illegible] [illegible],440,176 Debt less cash in treasury $[illegible] Decrease of debt during February, [illegible] [illegible] since June 30 1875 $13 [illegible] 419

National Bank Currency Reti[illegible]

[illegible] comptroller of the currency states th[illegible] [illegible] tender notes deposited for the [illegible] [illegible] circulation during January to be [illegible] during February $498 1[illegible] Amount [illegible] drawn during January $1 066 200, an[illegible] [illegible] $5,754 572

Civil Rights Bill.

[illegible] the case of Upton S Newcomer, cl[illegible] [illegible] house charged with the violati[illegible] [illegible] rights bill in refusing lodging to [illegible] [illegible]ter, the jury this morning gave a [illegible]

Bill for the Suppression of Ins[illegible]

[illegible] bill for the protection of agricultur[illegible] [illegible]ious insects as amended and reporte[illegible] [illegible]huysen from the committee on agricu[illegible] [illegible] provides for the appointment of one [illegible] [illegible], instead of three who is to investi[illegible] [illegible] information relative to the Rocky [illegible] [illegible], army worm chinch bug Hessian [illegible] [illegible] and other destructive insects in order [illegible] [illegible]cessful methods for their destruction [illegible] [illegible] are to be reported to the commissione[illegible] [illegible]ture and transmitted by him to Congr[illegible] [illegible]missioner is to be appointed by the Se[illegible] [illegible] Interior

Schenck Investigation

[illegible]yon appeared again before the com[illegible] [illegible] affidavit dry and exhibit couple [illegible] [illegible] Stewart's letter, to which allusion [illegible] [illegible] been made. The witness reiterates [illegible] [illegible] of yesterday that the effect that Sen[illegible] [illegible] did not receive any money nor ha[illegible] [illegible] whatever to do with him and Sena[illegible] [illegible] connection with the suit. The witn[illegible] [illegible] court

[illegible] The witness referred to the [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] that Senator Blair had int[illegible] [illegible]olution calling for the investigation [illegible] Schenck's connection with the Emma min[illegible] [illegible] with Park. The latter said he [illegible] matter with the General who he had [illegible] give him Park [illegible] stock [illegible] wrote him a letter saying this [illegible] for [illegible] not sell [illegible] he would giv[illegible] [illegible] on his house and [illegible] in Washington [illegible] Park said he had [illegible] this statement [illegible], and if Stewart would do the same [illegible] [illegible] up the correspondence

The committee caused to be read th[illegible] [illegible]dence between [illegible] Ballard and [illegible] Schenck in a letter dated July [illegible] [illegible] Ballard wished Gen Schenck to give hi[illegible] [illegible]formation about the Emma mine and [illegible] Gen Schenck did not receive *bona fi[illegible]* [illegible] shares. Whether this was true or not